

## Rainfall Is General

This has been a week of rains! Starting Friday night with 26 of an inch of moisture, a light shower of .06 of an inch fell on Saturday night; 19 of an inch Sunday afternoon and .15 of an inch Sunday night. Monday was plenty wet with .55 of an inch falling during the day, followed by a trace of rain Monday night.

The total rainfall of Canyon for 1954 now measures: 1.23 for this week; with 3.65 inches for the month of May; and 6.24 for the year.

A hail storm hit the west part of the county Sunday afternoon with heaviest part of the storm centered between Canyon and UMBARGER.

The extent of the hail is not yet known as there was a much heavier rain accompanying the hail than fell in Canyon. Eleven losses were reported to the insurance agency of Cole & Davis up to yesterday. Fortunately the heaviest part of the hail storm hit on pasture land but crops of the area were not destroyed.

According to the Texas Employment Commission, it is expected that 500,000 acres of wheat will be harvested in Deaf Smith, Randall and Armstrong counties. The average yield should be around 10 bushels, with 30,000 acres of irrigated wheat above this average. Harvest is reported to be ready by about June 15.

## Six Students Get Wallets

A Texas Ranger was on the campus Wednesday to return billfolds of six men who had been victims of a professional thief who had enrolled as a student in Texas Tech and North Texas State at Denton at different times. He was George Chester Sewell, Jr., who had stolen 130 billfolds from students in different colleges of Texas.

The billfolds belonged to Randy Thomas of Hereford; Eddie Bates of Amarillo; Edward Chisum of Pampa; Billy Johnson of Perryton; Cecil Shelton of Matador and Bill Dye of Claude. The contents of the billfolds had been removed by Sewell. The property was recovered when Sewell left his car at Weatherford for repair, and the garage service men discovered the loot in the trunk.

## Cayler Celebrates 85th Birthday

On Sunday, May 23, friends and relatives gathered at the home of R. H. Cayler in Canyon to celebrate his 85th birthday.

Those attending and enjoying the bountiful covered dish luncheon were three of Mr. Cayler's sisters and two brothers-in-law: Mrs. W. B. Knox of Borger, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Knox of Happy, and Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Baird of Kempner; and the following relatives and friends:

Mrs. Maggie Hopper, Mrs. L. A. Pierce, Mrs. J. L. Moore, R. E. Prichard, and J. A. Moore of Canyon; Linda Hart of Kempner; Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Thomas, DeLores and Billie Kaye of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Gillespie, Mr. and Mrs. Max Tansler, Billie and Owen, Miss Maggie Cayler, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kelley, Jay and Patsy, T. R. Selders and Doris, all of Amarillo; John Knox, Borger; Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Culp, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Culp, Gary and Wickie, Mrs. Viola Buchanan, and Mrs. Eula Hayes.

In the afternoon Mrs. Sherman Cox, Glen and Bennie called to wish Mr. Cayler many more birthdays.

## SUPER WEATHER PROPHECY

### Bryan McDonald Guesses 7 of 10

Bryan McDonald says that he is a weather prophet of some sort or other.

At least he has hit the May rains seven out of ten years, which is a better than average long range guess.

The game started 10 years ago when he placed a wager that it would rain on May 10. The wager has been continued year after year.

This year he thought he was going to miss the prediction, but it started to rain 15 minutes before midnight, thus saving his record of long range guessing on the weather.

We don't know of any other person who has hit the guess so consistently and so accurately as to call the day of the month when rain would fall.

The brass medal goes to the winner!

We will be open on Memorial Day. Stevens Flowers and Stevens Floral, Canyon, Tex. 711.

Mrs. Clark Newton of Ft. Worth is visiting her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Boling.

# The Canyon News

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## Bob Lindsey Serves Feed At His Ranch

Bob Lindsey of Canyon and Borger was host Sunday to all agricultural workers of the area. More than 175 persons came in 43 cars from the counties which comprise the Agricultural Council.

The organization was started last fall by J. P. Smith, manager of PanTech Farms, north of Amarillo so that groups might get better acquainted with each other. There are no dues to the organization, according to Smith, and meetings are held at intervals when someone like Bob Lindsey comes up with the idea of serving a free barbecue to the bunch.

Bob owns eight sections of land southwest of Canyon on the beautiful Tierra Blanca Creek. He is making a show place of the land, with scientific terracing and permanent improvements.

When Bob Lindsey decides to put on a barbecue, he really puts one on. He brought his banker, Bob Grimes, who is noted for his barbecue, to do the job. Mr. Grimes has his own barbecue pit, and imports hickory wood from Arkansas. He is entirely choosy about the kind of beef that he barbecues and the way it is cooked.

The results? Well, you should have seen the mountains of barbecue and other food left untouched by the crowd. Incidentally, it was pouring down rain over the north part of the country when the time arrived for the meal and the crowd was materially cut in size.

Following the meal, W. H. Upchurch conducted a tour of inspection of the terracing which was in progress on the Lindsey ranch.

A number of car loads of men made the trip, while the children engaged in fishing and played games of all kinds. Mr. Lindsey had imported a pair of mules which are the property of Fred Marshall and were hitched to an old covered wagon, recalling other days in the Panhandle. The kids had a great time riding the old buggy.

Clouds were hanging low by the time the inspection trip ended and the group was forced to break up long before time was set for an end to the visit with Mr. Lindsey and his fine family.

## Crippled Child Collection Good

According to D. E. Standley, collection of the Crippled Children's fund in Randall County has amounted to \$708.21. According to Mr. Standley, the following will be the breakdown of expenditures: Expenses of the campaign, including postage and folders, \$143.48; sent to the State Committee, \$141.18; retained for home work, \$423.55.

Collections for the fund are still being received, according to Mr. Standley.

Joe Gibson is chairman of the drive; Dr. Robert P. Jarrett is vice chairman; Betty Norman is secretary; Mr. Standley is treasurer. Other members of the county committee are Dorothy Brown, Bessie Dee Sall, Dr. R. A. Neblett, Dr. Dudley Moore, Milton Morris, W. E. Miller.

## Summer Session Will Start on Next Tuesday

Registration for the first term of the summer session at West Texas State will be held Tuesday, according to Registrar Frank H. Morgan. Only one day will be devoted to enrolling, and classes begin June 2.

Final examinations over spring semester work will close Thursday, with most of the regular students departing for home during the week as they complete tests.

Summer students will register by numbers, and enrolling will be in the library, starting at 8 a. m. Enrolling procedure is about the same as during the long semesters.

Second term registration will be held July 13, with final examinations to be held August 20, when the summer commencement is also slated.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cox Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Cashwell, Karen Joe and Dickey Lynn, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Krim, all of Amarillo, and Mrs. Ila Harris of New York City.

Merle Pitt, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Pitt, will receive his discharge from the armed services at Fort Sill this week.

## Will Be 90 Years Old on First of June



MRS. ALMETA RICHARDS

Mrs. Almeta Richards will celebrate her 90th birthday on June 1. She was born June 1, 1864. Although she has been confined to her bed for eight years, she always wears a welcome smile for all her friends and family.

Mrs. Richards was born in Tucumschic, Texas. She and Mr. Richards were married in Sweetwater. They moved to Canyon in 1914 from Memphis and purchased a 640 acre farm four miles north of Canyon where they lived until 1953 when Mrs. Richards purchased a home at 1605 Eighth Ave., where she lives now with her son and

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## Norris E. Root Died Saturday In Peoria, Ill.

The body of Norris E. Root arrived in Canyon Tuesday morning and the funeral was held Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the First Christian Church.

Mr. Root was born at Lawn Ridge, Illinois, on May 18, 1875. He died May 22, at a Peoria, Ill., hospital at the age of 79 years and four days. He had left Canyon only a week before after spending the winter with his children. His sudden death was very unexpected, although he had been in poor health for a number of years.

He was a carpenter by trade and had spent many working hours in the construction of the First Christian Church, of which he was a member.

Rev. Joseph Findley conducted the funeral service, assisted by the pastor, Rev. Win Matsler. The body lay in state at the Griggs-Warren Funeral Home until funeral time.

The family first came to Canyon in 1908. In 1913 the family moved to Kansas, but in 1920 returned to Canyon which has been the home of Mr. Root since that time.

He was married to Olive Hoyt on Nov. 24, 1898. She preceded him in death on Jan. 11, 1946. To this union had been born seven children: Edith, Mrs. Lester Leigh of Sparland, Ill.; Ethel, Mrs. E. A. Michael of Canyon; Gene Root of Canyon; Mildred, Mrs. H. P. McQuilkin of Hennepin, Ill.; John Root of Daltart, Esther, Mrs. Lawrence Brotherton of Canyon; Florence, Mrs. E. C. Key of Borger.

One sister, Mrs. William E. Russell of Sparland, Ill., survives.

## Cancer Fund Below Quota

George Blackwell, chairman of the Randall County committee on cancer research funds, reports that the donations for Randall county are falling behind the quota.

This is such an important fund for each and everyone that the committee is eager to meet its quota. Those who have planned to make personal donations are urged to send their checks immediately to Blackwell or Don Standley.

"Let's put Randall county over the top!" stated Blackwell.

Pfc. and Mrs. Clarence Maynard and baby of Fort Benning, Ga., are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Pitt and Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Maynard.

Our Stevens' special on Memorial wreaths. Made to order. Just what you want. The more you buy the cheaper they are. Stevens Floral. 711

## 220 Degrees to WT Graduates Sunday p. m.

One of the greatest problems facing the business world, the schools, churches, and homes today is the need for mature individuals who can think and act for themselves, more than 220 graduating students at West Texas State were told in single-day commencement exercises Sunday.

Dr. R. Lofton Hudson, pastor of the Wornall Baptist Church of Kansas City, outlined "Tap Roots for Tall Souls" for an overflow crowd.

Four ways to judge maturity of individuals were listed by Dr. Hudson: ability to find satisfaction in giving rather than in receiving; ability to deal constructively with life at its worst; ability to stand on one's own feet, to think and act for oneself; and ability to set goals for one's life.

"It is not just a matter of giving, but of finding satisfaction in giving," Dr. Hudson said. "The sign of maturity in a person is a willingness to help others."

The mental institutions of the nation contain more persons than our colleges are graduating each year, the speaker said. People are there because they could not take the frustrations, the bitter medicine, the anxieties of life. The ability to face up to reality is a sign of maturity, Dr. Hudson said.

"It's so easy to be passive, to be a carbon copy," he declared, "but persons who cannot stand on their own two feet are not mature. Nothing is a substitute for the desire of an individual to grow and become mature, to set goals and to achieve them."

To grow, Dr. Hudson said, one must get rid of spiritual antiques, "to put away childish things."

One must sink his roots deep into religion, culture, and learning to become a tall mature person, he said.

"We must keep moving, for life is not static," he said.

## Game and Fish Meeting Called

A meeting important to hunters, fishermen, and landowners will be held in district court room, County court house, Canyon, at 8:00 p. m. June 3.

Representatives of the Texas Game and Fish Commission will hold a public hearing on proposed regulations to be recommended to the commission for adoption at its July meeting. Biologists will review their findings and explain the current status of game species.

Public discussion will be invited, and resolutions from the floor will be transmitted to the commission for its consideration.

There will be a free showing of a wildlife motion picture, and the general public, including children, is invited to attend.

For further information contact Woody Pond, game warden at his home in Canyon, 1104 Third Ave., or phone 5-3950 for additional information regarding the meeting.

M/Sgt. Henry Neal Warren, son of Mrs. Amelia Warren, is at home on 30-day leave after having spent five years in Germany. While in Germany he married Inge Wulff, who will come to the states in the late summer.

## Pete Cowart Takes Over Management Of the Palo Duro State Park

Pete Cowart of Hereford signed a contract yesterday for concessionaire of the Palo Duro State Park for a period of five years. He closed a deal with John McCarty to buy his stock of merchandise which was on sale at the lodge. McCarty has held the concessions at the Palo Duro for five years.

The success of the Palo Duro has been phenomenal during the time that McCarty was in charge. The attendance has grown year after year, until more than a half million people have visited this great work of nature. During his time as concessionaire, Mr. McCarty has sent to the Texas State Park more than \$160,000 to apply on the debt against the land.

"I wish to thank all of the people of Canyon and Randall county, as well as the people of the Panhandle for their great interest in the Park and their help to me as concessionaire," states Mr. McCarty.

One of the first things Mr. Cowart did was to clear out space in the lodge, giving to the Panhandle-Plains Museum more than three tons of rocks and Indian relics which had been picked up in the Park. He stated that more room

## Congressman to Speak Thursday To Graduates



HON. WALTER ROGERS

Congressman Walter Rogers of the 18th Congressional District of Texas will deliver the commencement address to the Canyon High School graduates Thursday night. The program will be held in the Administration Building auditorium of the college.

Rev. Strauss Atkinson will give the invocation, and Rev. A. J. Pettit will give the benediction.

Misses Alice Simms and Diane Prichard will play the musical prelude and the processional.

High School Principal J. E. Miller will present the class of 1954, following which diplomas will be presented by Superintendent Joe Gibson and W. R. Crow, president of the school board.

A reception will be given to parents and friends of the members of the class immediately following the recessional at the high school cafeteria.

## Two Mondays to Be Observed as City Holidays

Due to the fact that both Memorial Day and the Fourth of July will fall on Sundays this year, the Canyon Chamber of Commerce took a survey and found that most business houses will observe next Monday, May 31, as a holiday, and again will be closed on Monday, July 5th, for another holiday.

Only such business houses as feel that their opening demands public opening will continue business on their days according to the survey taken.

## 174 Register For Silverware

There were 174 registrations at the Anderson Appliance for the free silverware which was given away Saturday afternoon.

All of the tickets were placed in a clothes dryer and the machine was turned on for seven minutes. At the end of that time, one ticket dropped out of the machine, and Mrs. R. D. Lowry picked it up to find that F. M. Hacker was the lucky winner of the 64 piece set of Rogers silverware.

Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Anderson were highly pleased at the large number who visited the Frigidaire display during the week-end.

Mrs. W. S. Myers with Mrs. Bob Combee and daughters of Amarillo attended the Pioneer Round-up in Plainview Saturday. Mrs. Myers remained over the week-end with her daughter.

## Mrs. J. L. Chenault Died Friday Morning At Age of 60 Years

Mrs. Eula Alice Chenault died Friday morning at 1:10 a. m. at the residence, 1808 Second Ave. She was 60 years and 28 days of age.

The funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Griggs-Warren Chapel, conducted by Earl Cantwell, assisted by Joe Watson of the Central Church of Christ.

The family had lived here for three years.

Survivors are the husband, J. L. Chenault; one daughter, Mrs. Edwin Caskey of Canyon; one brother, Joe S. Smith of Escondido, Calif.; six sisters, Mrs. Kitty E. Green of Escondido, Mrs. James Barrington of Ontario, Calif., Mrs. Tom Farnham and Mrs. Olive N. Green of Vista, Calif., Mrs. Elsie Jones of Sweetwater, Mrs. Lee Doyal of Compton, Calif.; five grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Pall bearers were Arnold Ray Burgess, Claude Mickey, Muriel Bellington, Bob Glanton, Joe Carver, Douglas Loudder.

Rev. and Mrs. Lester Hill went to Abilene Wednesday after their daughter, Ellen, who is a student in McMurtry College.

# Expressway Thru Amarillo Is Ordered

At Austin Monday, the State Highway Commission ordered the District Engineer, Guy Lott, to proceed making plans for the expressway through the city of Amarillo to Georgia and 36th St., which is the south city limits of Amarillo.

In the special election for bonds to buy the right-of-way, the voters of Amarillo approved the issuance of bonds by a majority vote, while the voters of Randall county rejected the bond issue by a two-thirds vote.

It was stated by the State Highway Engineer DeWitt Greer that it would require at least eight months to draw the plans for the expressway through Amarillo.

Marshall Formby, member of the State Highway Commission, said Randall County is on record as accepting the minutes of the expressway plan, made last October, and that all members of the state commission believe the county will later be able to finance needed right-of-way. Randall County was asked for right-of-way from the south city limit line in Amarillo to the junction of Highways 60 and 87 at Canyon.

The regular semi-monthly meeting of the Commissioners Court was held Monday. All members of the court stated that Formby had no agreement "To come to Canyon and work out a deal with the court so that construction could be continued through Randall County to Canyon." This statement had been made by several persons following the vote whereby the bond issue was rejected. The vote in Randall county was proportionately larger than the vote in Amarillo, when the voters rejected the bond issue in this county.

No petition was presented and nothing was done toward calling another bond election while the Commissioners Court was in session Monday.

## Summer Band School July 1-9

Summer Band School at Canyon High School will start June 1 and end July 9. All students attending Canyon public schools are eligible to attend. Classes will be held for both beginning and advanced students. There is no tuition for the school.

Largest classes will be for beginning students. Students are urged to use this summer to get a head start on next year's work. It is not possible for the director, Herman M. Demus, to contact all of the students and parents, so those who are interested should see Mr. Demus as soon as possible. Students may participate even if they are to be away for a part of the summer.

All students who wish to play in the high school band should start band work before they get to high school; but if they did not do so and are in high school now or will be in the fall, they may still qualify if they take summer band.

Beginners in clarinets, saxophones, and flutes will meet from 8:30 to 9:15 a. m. Beginners in cornets, trumpets, trombones, alto horns, baritone, basses, and drums will meet from 9:15 until 10 a. m.

Fifth and sixth grade students who have played before will meet from 10:15 until 11 a. m. Seventh and 8th grade students who have played before will meet from 11 until 11:45 a. m.

All classes will be held in the high school band room under the direction of Herman Demus.

## Commissioners to Buy Radio For Sheriff's Work

The Randall County Commissioners Court will buy a radio plan for joint use of the Sheriff's Department, the Federal Government and the city of Canyon fire department. Bids will be opened for the new radio plan at the next regular meeting of the court on June 7.

Installation of a radio station has been under discussion for a number of months between the county and city in view of the fact that the State plant has become so loaded that it is only a question of time until the county will be kicked off the state circuit.

The new plant will have a tower on top of the city's water tank, just north of the Sheriff's office. The plant will be in operation during the 24-hour period, with the city of Canyon furnishing a night operator and the county a day operator.

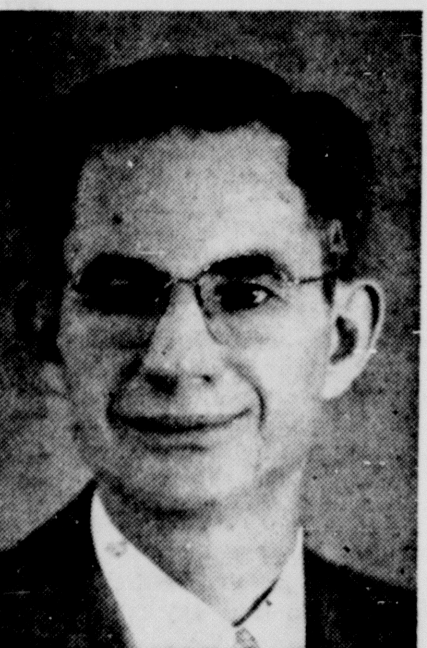
The federal government will pay for half of the installation charges and the plant may be used at any minute by the federal government for defense work.

Four mobile units will be provided, which provides use by the Canyon fire department of one of the units.

## Administrators Who Direct the Canyon Schools



JOE GIBSON...superintendent of Canyon schools, who closes his second year as head of the local schools.



J. E. MILLER...principal of the Canyon High School has been the "old faithful" of the schools, ever on the job to look after his boys and girls.

## Stork Specials

Mr. and Mrs. Jack H. Sessler of South San Gabriel, Calif., announce the arrival of a 9 lb. 10 oz. daughter, Julie Elaine, Mrs. Sessler will be remembered as Patricia Ruth Small, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Small, formerly of Canyon, and the granddaughter of George Small, a pioneer building contractor here.

## W. J. Wagner Takes Medical Degree

Among the graduates of the University of Texas medical school at Galveston is William J. Wagner, listed from Canyon.

He is the son of the late R. L. and Mrs. Wagner, now living at Olton. He has been in Canyon so long that he lists Canyon as his home.

Dr. Wagner will serve his apprenticeship in one of the authorized hospitals of the nation before starting to practice.

Fresh flowers or lasting flowers in Memorial arrangements. Stevens Floral. 711



## EDITORIAL COMMENTS

## Cousin of Newsmen Reaches 85th Year

We could not help but feel a surge of pride upon reading the other day of our cousin who is a little older than the Newsmen, and is a distinguished physician in his home town of Montezuma, Iowa.

Dr. E. B. Williams left the school room as a successful teacher with a 10 year record to start practicing medicine. Swift memories chased through our mind as we recalled all that this distinguished citizen has accomplished in one brief period of time. Today he is 85 years of age, and has completed 55 years of service to his community in the practice of medicine. When will he retire: "I shall practice medicine just as long as people want me to wait upon them and feel that I am capable," was his characteristic remark.

The first car ride that we ever had down the dusty street of Montezuma was in a car owned and operated by Dr. Williams.

During his early practice he owned two teams of horses, alternating them day by day. He traveled by team and on horseback when the going was too bad for a buggy. When the car came, he was the first to buy one, but he could only use the two-lunger from May until November when snow took over the countryside.

The home of Dr. Williams was a large affair, combination office and living quarters. Here he practices medicine among the thousands of people who brought to him their physical troubles.

Unfortunately for Dr. Williams there is no homestead law in Iowa. Following World War I when the Newsmen came back from France, he and an older brother visited Dr. Williams, Ed as he remained to our brother who was about the same age, and the good Doctor told of his life's savings then amounted to more than two million dollars.

A few years later the two of us again visited with Dr. Williams. His bank had failed; his lands had been taken to pay his debts; yet he was never discouraged. The depression of the late '20's had wiped him out so far as worldly goods were concerned but he had not lost his confidence in his fellow man, and never hesitated a moment to give aid and comfort when people were sick. He kept on with his duties while many of his associates of the olden era were jumping from tall buildings or going the route of poison.

His first wife probably caused him to quit the school room for his profession. She was a beautiful girl, as we recall her, but died after three months of married life. Ed Williams saw the need of more doctors, and did not hesitate to change his vocation, leaving the school room.

He passed through the battles to control tuberculosis, diphtheria, typhoid fever, and other prevailing killers of those early days.

He saw the X-ray developed and put into common usage. Many a time he performed major operations by the light of kerosene lamps and using home-made sterilizers.

His second wife was his practical nurse and their home was the refuge for the sick of the community. She lived until 1952 to take a major part with the good man who has made such a great success of his vocation.

We are glad that Dr. E. B. Williams is our kinsman. This child of the print shop for 50 years has drawn greater inspiration from his life than from any other person.

## Silly Arguments on Shivers and Johnson

We hear that Governor Shivers should be defeated because he is just about ready to wreck the Democratic party in Texas, and make of this great state a Republican stronghold.

On the other hand we read that some fellow should defeat Senator Lyndon Johnson because Johnson has not followed the footsteps of great Democratic leaders who have gone down the middle of the Democratic road.

So far as Shivers and Johnson are concerned, we shall let them fight their own political battles. Unless something changes our mind we shall vote for both of them in July; not because Shivers supported Eisenhower; not because Johnson is the Democratic leader of the Senate; but because both are doing their jobs well in spite of the bickering of little men.

Arthur Connell, National Commander, American Legion: "I have learned from personal experience . . . that life is worth living for those who live true to themselves and to their God."

An earthquake in central Greece killed or injured 150 persons and caused widespread destruction.

## Segregation Knocked In Head by Court

The Supreme Court of the United States has reversed a previous ruling of this court and declared that segregation in schools of 17 states was unconstitutional.

As we have repeated time and again, we know nothing about the Negro since we have never lived in a community with him, and have been associated with him in a very minor way upon rare occasions.

When the Negro was admitted to the Amarillo Junior College there was considerable uproar, but all of this has subsided and the 14 Negro students who are enrolled in that institution are doing good work, keeping carefully to themselves.

When a Negro attempted to enroll in the University of Texas he was met with a legal battle, and finally flunked out after he was admitted by the courts.

It seems that the courts are going to have their hands full attempting to break the segregation rule. Governor Talmadge of Georgia says that he will fight the law to the last man.

Governor Shivers of Texas states that it will probably be several years before the total weight of the law will be felt in Texas.

The Supreme Court announced that it will hear additional arguments this fall.

The states which practice segregation will have ample time to change their laws to conform to the law of the nation.

At the present time there are 1,485,055 white children in Texas and 222,414 Negro children, or about one out of seven.

Fortunately Randall county and Canyon have no blacks with which to contend.

As we have viewed the Negro "University" recently established by the legislature, this is just another glorified high school, unworthy of the name which it bears.

We shall see what we shall see as a result of this situation.

## Unsigned Letter in Protest of Vandalism

The Canyon News received an unsigned letter Wednesday from a citizen who filed a protest against the driving of boys and girls. The writer claims that groups of kids were driving cars over lawns and tearing up shrubbery. All of this costs a lot of money on the part of some one to replace.

We have no idea as to whom the writer is, and therefore we cannot direct our appeal for the protection of parents against boys and girls who indulge in the practices outlined above.

The writer of the unsigned letter furthermore protested against the practice of kids who make race tracks out of the streets of Canyon at night.

A former protest was filed against the use of Fourth Avenue as a speedway, on Sundays and nights when services were in progress at the churches of Canyon.

Perhaps those who indulge in such practices are unthoughtfully destroying property of law-abiding citizens who have spent a lot of money on their improvements. Let's quit it, boys and girls, before some one gets hurt in a wreck.

The writer says that one of his neighbors is lying in wait with his shotgun loaded with buck shot. If the kids do not stop this practice when he shoots the casing off their car, he may shoot one of the kids.

No one can be blamed for protecting their property from vandalism, but the damages done may be very, very severe.

## Credit Unions Invade Cities—Canyon Small

We have heard a lot of agitation about Credit Unions over the radio. (Have seen no advertisements about these things in newspapers).

From mere curiosity than anything else, we wrote for information.

The curt reply came that Canyon was too small a town for the operation of a Credit Union.

It seems that there are more suckers for such operations in larger towns, and therefore small fry towns are overlooked.

Couldn't get a word from headquarters about the operations of such a Union.

Charles E. Wilson, Secretary of Defense: "The increasing capacity of the United States Air Force to strike back against attack gives full warning to any aggressor of the possible consequences of rash action . . ."

**Ellie's TAMALES** GOOD! BETTER! BEST!

## We Are Not Fighting Battle of the World

Some day Americans will get tired of fighting the battles of other nations.

A local speaker says that our leaders have simply lied to the people in order that sentiment could be stirred up in favor of the policy of continuing to put up the money and fight the battles for others.

It is charged that we have been fighting the wars of England and France in particular. France has refused to spend money to keep their seven-year war going; they are now demanding that America send more money and men to save them (and to save their possessions.)

It is likewise charged that we are fighting the battles of England, but allowing the English people to continue trading with the Reds.

It is now charged that the Reds have shipped vast stores of arms to South America, and some of these days we shall have to face these friends (?) who are rapidly learning to hate us.

What will be the result of these problems?

We have heard so many answers that our head is roaring. Your solution is as good as that of your neighbor.

## Oil Plays a Major Role in Our State

No Texan knows the story of oil better than General Ernest O. Thompson.

Those who have heard this story last week at the Panhandle-Plains Historical Society banquet came away with a feeling of pride that here was a man who had saved billions of dollars for future generations. If we had oil in Randall county we would better appreciate the work that General Thompson has done in the way of conservation.

The people of Texas are most grateful for the work of such men as General Thompson in saving the natural resource which is proving to be such a great benefit to the State of Texas.

## Two Fateful Words In English Voice

If there are any two words in the English language that will make us hate the Mother Tongue, they are McCarthy and Schine.

McCarthy is the only honest man in the United States—according to McCarthy.

Schine is the only private in the United States Army who is entitled to special treatment—according to McCarthy.

If we had our way, both would be condemned to a land where snowballs never exist—for long.

## T. E. Johnson Died Thursday Morning

T. E. Johnson is dead. After long association with Mr. Johnson we stop in sorrow this Thursday morning and pause to consider just how short a span of time is life, and what may be accomplished during that span.

Mr. Johnson was a fine newspaper man, who knew the story and how it should be told.

He will be greatly missed by his associates throughout the Panhandle.

Peace to his ashes.

Sales of department stores are off 2 per cent from year ago.

## Turn About Is Fair In Political Game

We are amazed, simply amazed.

Senator McCarthy stated from the witness stand that he refused to divulge the source of his information regarding the army. He refused to budge and the presiding officer upheld his stand.

Now comes the Senator and says that his case is absolutely and eternally blown up if the President intervenes by refusing to give out top military secrets.

Well, who in thunder gives a hang as to whether McCarthy has his way?

Answer: Senator Joe McCarthy.

## 20-Day Tour of Mexico During Summer Planned

A 20-day tour of Mexico, sponsored by West Texas State College, will be directed this summer by Dr. Ples Harper, head of the department of modern languages, who for several years has conducted tours to that country.

Slated June 10 until June 30, the trip will be by chartered bus, and reservations are asked by Dr. Harper, "as soon as possible." The tour is not offered for college credit, Dr. Harper said, but is strictly a vacation tour.

The group will leave Canyon early on the morning of June 10, spending the first night in San Antonio and the second night in Monterrey. Among the larger cities to be visited are Ciudad Valles, Mexico City, Cuernavaca, Taxco, Acapulco, Guadalupe, Aguascalientes, and San Luis Potosi.

Visits will be made to Borda Gardens and Cortez Palace in Cuernavaca, the National Cathedral, National Museum, Art Gallery, Xochimilco, Chapultepec Castle, Shrine of Guadalupe, Pyramids of the Sun and Moon, and many other points of interest during the five complete days the tourists are in Mexico City.

A full day will be spent in Acapulco for sightseeing and swimming and at least a day is to be spent in each city of major interest.

"This is a leisurely trip, during which a person can see and visit just about everything he desires," Dr. Harper said. Frequent stops overnight are made so that all of one's time is not spent driving, he said.

U. S. arms aid to Iraq is pleasing to Arabs.

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## WHO KNOWS

1. What does the name of the State of Oklahoma mean?
2. What territory did the first 13 States cover?
3. Which is the largest reservoir in the world?
4. What is its capacity in acre-feet?
5. What large foreign dam was destroyed during World War II?
6. Where is the world's largest office building situated?
7. What is the area covered by the building?
8. Who was the sculptor of the Statue of Liberty?
9. Whom did he use as his model for the Statue?
10. Which is the largest of the Continents?

## The Answers . . .

1. It is the Choctaw word for "red people."
2. From Canada to Florida and from the Mississippi River to the Atlantic Ocean.
3. Lake Mead, of the Hoover Dam, in Arizona and Nevada.
4. 31,142,000.
5. The Dneiper Dam on the Dneiper River in Russia.
6. The Pentagon, situated on the Virginia side of the Potomac River.
7. 34 acres.
8. An Alsatian sculptor, Fred-eric August Bartholdi.
9. His mother, Charlotte Beysse Bartholdi.
10. Africa: Area, 11,500,000 sq. mi.

Louis P. Hammett, chemist: "We must have superiority in weapons or we shall certainly fail."

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## Music Camp To Draw Many High School Students

Plans for the second annual West Texas Music Camp on the campus of West Texas State College August 1-13 have been completed by M. J. Newman, music

department head and camp director.

Last summer, for the first camp venture, nearly 200 Panhandle and Tri-State high school musicians attended daily choir and band rehearsals, sectional instruction, twirling, drum major's, squad leader's, theory and conducting classes, and participated in concerts, recitals, radio and television programs.

Most of last year's nationally-known band and twirling authorities will return this summer to assist the program. Among them are Ted Otis, three-time national twirling champion from Long Beach, Calif.; Jack Lee, band director at the University of Arizona; Hiram Henry, director at Oklahoma A & M; Joe and Grace Berryman, noted percussion authorities.

Coming for the first time this year will be Alvin Edgar, music department head at Iowa State College. The camp faculty will also include Dr. Houston Bright, West Texas State A Cappella Choir director; Royal Brantley, director of the WT Opera Workshop; Miss Matilda Gaume, assistant professor of music; Gene Murray, drum major of the WT Buffalo Band, assisting Ted Otis; and many other band and choir directors of the area.

Mr. Newman has announced that enrollments will be limited to the number of students who can be housed on the campus, or who can live in town. Advance reservations may be made through the WT music department.

Visiting directors may earn graduate credit during the camp in choral conducting, band administration, and marching techniques. Special demonstrations and exhibits and discussion groups are arranged.

### HERE'S A PROBLEM

Texarkana, Tex. — This city has a problem—believe it or not—of what to do with too much money—a surplus of \$58,544. The present city council has decided to pass the problem on to the next administration—to decide whether to refund the money to the taxpayers or to seek court permission to use it for some other purpose. The city retired the last of a series of special bonds and found it had collected more than enough taxes to meet the debt. Hence, the surplus.

### SPEND 14 CENTS ON BOOKS

Paris. — Figures recently released by the trade publication L'Echo de la Presse et de la Publicité, reveals that the French, who are supposedly an intellectual people, spend only 14 cents a year on the average for books, as compared with an average \$7 annually spent for books by Americans. "The radio, movies, television and sports" are blamed for the book-trade crisis.

## Happy Birthday

May 28

James L. Cole  
Mrs. Eddie Conner  
Katherine Jo Love  
Gene Earl Cates  
Mrs. H. D. Curtis

May 29

Kenneth Nickelson  
Max Downing  
C. P. Shelnett  
Alvin Kuhlman  
Alton Donnell  
Ralph Bragg  
Dorothea Winters

May 30

Neva Louise Turner  
Glenn Dowlen, Jr.  
Mrs. H. R. Fulton, Sr.  
Mrs. Pennie Ann Cox  
J. E. (Johnnie) Gum  
Billie George Graham

May 31

Milton Sanders  
Mrs. Della Zachry  
Mrs. G. W. Bellinghausen

June 1

Gus Wesley  
Tom Boling  
Evelyn Crowley

June 2

Abbie Leavitt  
Jo Billy Wise  
Mrs. O. L. Pitt  
Carl Hartman, Jr.  
Mrs. Charles Bell  
Marvin Albers  
Mrs. Horace Carter  
Arthur K. Goodman  
Donnell Gene Bauer  
Mrs. Joe Gill  
Mrs. Alice Black  
Mrs. Norman Glen  
Lillian M. Webb

June 3

Rayburn McKee  
Alvin Friemel  
Otto White

### Bible Verse to Study

"Let the beauty of the Lord our God be upon us; and establish thou the work of our hands upon us; yea, the work of our hands establish thou it."

1. Who was the author of the above prayer?
2. In what service are parts of this prayer used?
3. Where may it be found?

### BIBLE VERSE ANSWERS:

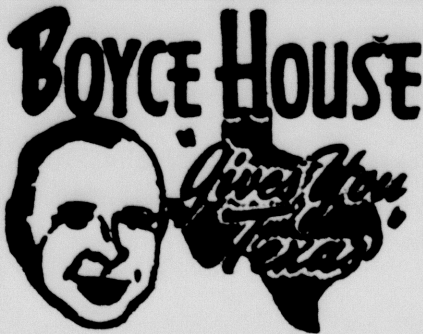
1. Moses.
2. In the burial services.
3. Psalm 90:17.

### EMERGENCY FUND

Mother — Robert is complaining that since he got a car you have been holding back some of his allowance. Is that true?

Father — Yes, I am keeping back part of it to pay his fines.

Charles E. Wilson, Secretary of Defense: "Great and encouraging progress has resulted from the re-examination and reorientation of our military program."



Don't snub a boy because he wears shabby clothes. When Bell, the inventor of the telephone, entered Boston for the first time, he wore a pair of yellow linen breeches in the depth of winter.

Don't snub a boy because his home is plain and unpretentious. Abraham Lincoln's early home was a log cabin.

Don't snub a boy because of the ignorance of his parents. Shakespeare was the son of a man who could not write his own name.

Don't snub a boy because he chooses a humble trade. The author of "Pilgrim's Progress" was a tinker.

Don't snub a boy because of physical disability. Milton was blind.

Don't snub a boy because of dullness in his lessons. Hogarth, the celebrated painter and engraver, was regarded as a stupid lad.

Don't snub a boy because he stutters. Demosthenes, the greatest orator of Greece, overcame a harsh and stammering voice.

Don't snub a boy—not alone because he may some day outstrip you in the race of life but because it is neither kind nor right nor Christian.

(Author unknown)

### EXCUSES

"In Court," said the sign on the lawyer's door;

"Back in 10 Minutes," on many more.

"Gone to the Hospital," on the doctor's slate.

On another, "Sit down and wait."

"Will be back soon," on the broker's book;

"Collecting rents," on my agent's hook.

They were all so busy, a thing quite new.

Very sorry was I that I had nothing to do;

So I went out to the circus ground—

And every man in the big top found!

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## Improve Reading During Summer School Slated

The campus of West Texas State College has been designated as one of five state campuses where the Texas Association for the Improvement of Reading is sponsoring conferences again this year. Date for the conference here has been set for July 26-29.

Reading specialists from the nation will be here to lecture, lead group discussions, and confer with individual conference members on the problems of reading.

Among the consultants are Dr. Constance McCullough, associate professor at San Francisco State College; Miss Gwen Horsman, director of reading in secondary schools, Detroit; and Dr. Guy L. Bond, professor of education, University of Minnesota. All are authors of books concerning the improvement of reading.

Other conference features will include section meetings for teachers of grades 1-12; a special section for adult reading problems; films, filmstrips, recordings; demonstrations of reading and the use of the accelerator, tachistoscope, telebinocular, audiometer, and textbook exhibits.

Among the entertainment features being planned are a reception, an excursion to Palo Duro Park, a chicken supper, and a play by the Palo Duro Players in the Branding Iron Theatre.

Local committee in charge of plans for the conference include Dr. J. B. Roberts, head of the WT education department; Dr. Ruth Lowes, professor of education at WT; Miss Jewell Foster of Dumas; and Miss Mary Kate Campbell of Amarillo.

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Steel output in April is considered disappointing.

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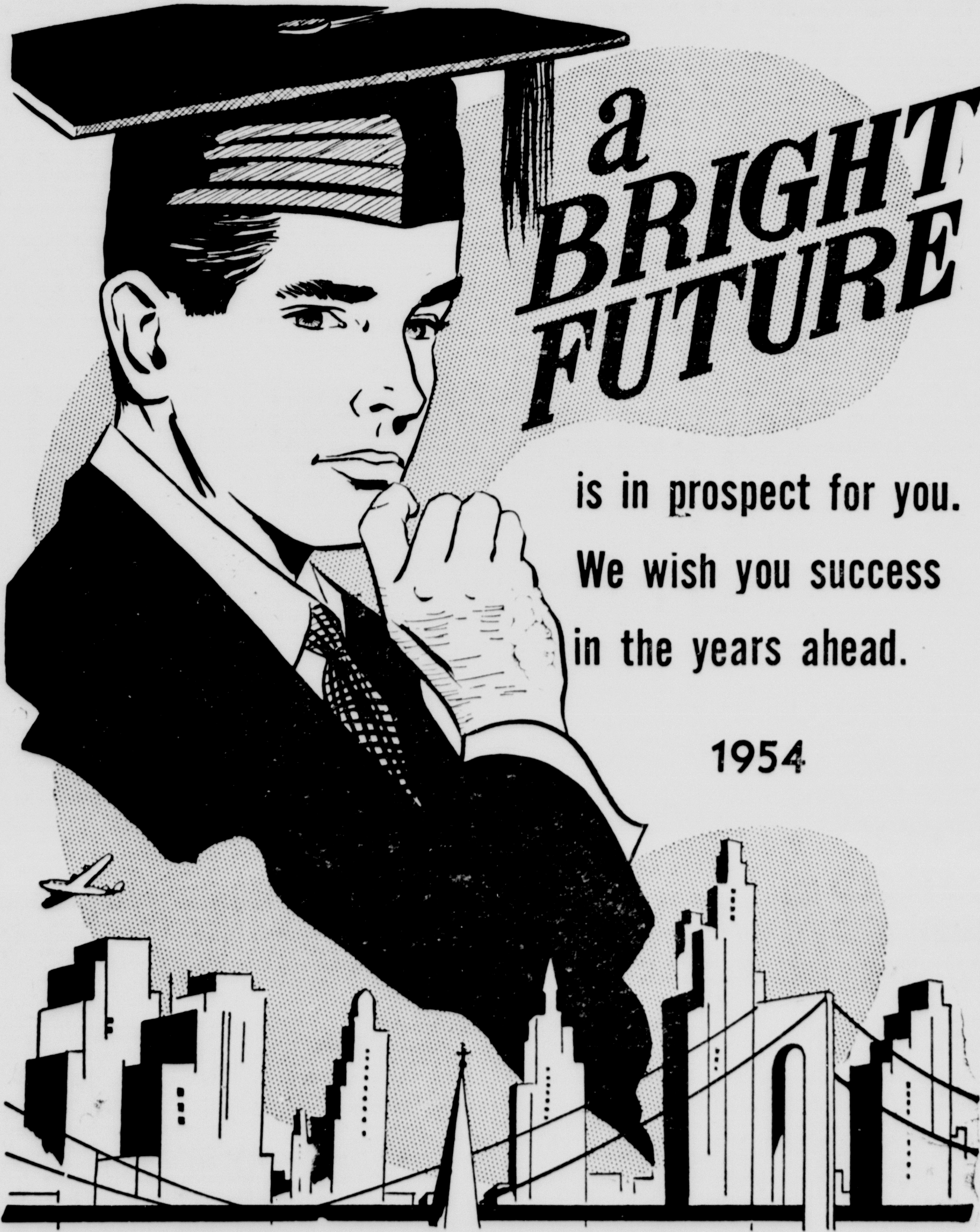
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## Lions Club Hears BSU Girls Quintet

The BSU girls quintet entertained the Lions Club last Wednesday with a medley of five songs. The girls sang "Let Me Call You Sweetheart," "Whispering," "Without a Song," "Everytime I Feel the Spirit," and "Standing in the Need of Prayer."

Members of the quintet are Barbara Dunn, Anita Tooley, Carolyn Kiker, Clara Nell Brown, and Mary Frances Norman, accompanied at the piano by Laura Smith. This vocal group has been popular this year, having appeared at numerous social events.

## Johnson's Texaco Wins '53-54 Season

Johnson's Texaco took first place in the Business Men's Bowling League by taking five out of the last eight games played from the Foster Insurance crew. Foster's came in second, four games back. Sternberg Lumber Co. took third place and the City Barber Shop took fourth place.

Members of the winning team are: Dan Higgins, Gene Mickey, Carroll Stark, Cecil Johnson, and Winston Evans.

Several individual awards were presented, such as: Winston Evans, highest average; Dan Higgins, high series; Elmer Mickey, improved average the most; and Nig Carter, highest game.

## VARIETY RING MEETS IN HOME OF MRS. MATSLER

Mrs. Win Matsler was hostess to the Variety Ring on May 20. Garden flowers decorated the entertaining room.

Mrs. George Barker conducted the business meeting at which time Mrs. Nina White joined the organization.

Members answered the roll with "What I Would Like to Do This Summer."

At the tea hour Mrs. Matsler served angel food cake de luxe, chocolate mints, and tea to a guest, Mrs. Bobby Hogue of California, and to members, Mesdames Barker, Levi Cole, L. E. Hogue, S. R. Hood, Mae Johnson, Fred Marshall, and Nina White.

Mrs. P. L. Pitt will be hostess to the group on June 3.

## Hospital News

Mrs. W. A. Parker, surgical; Emma Liston Coleman, medical; Mrs. Luther T. Jones, surgical; Mrs. Charles C. Hanes, medical; Mrs. Joe Deane Abbott, medical; Charley Bryan Erwin, surgical; Gerald Pearson, medical; Wyls Kirby, medical; William J. Crawford, orthopedic; Chris Severin, orthopedic; Leta Gail Fite, medical; Richard Lee James, surgical; Hila Fae Begert, surgical; Jerome Edgar Warren, medical; Mrs. Arthur D. Prater, surgical; Jerry Parker, surgical; Marilyn Kay Bourland, surgical.

**Students**  
Randolph Crow, surgical; Jerri Schneider, medical; Donna Marie Erwin, surgical.

**Births**  
A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Henscheid of Dawn on May 19.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy E. Rice are the parents of a son, born May 19.

## PRESBYTERIAN AUXILIARY

The Women's Auxiliary of the First Presbyterian Church met on May 25 in the home of Mrs. Laura SoRelle. Twelve members and one visitor were present.

Miss Darthula Walker presided. Mrs. M. E. Cleaver gave the opening prayer. Mrs. Bigger gave the Bible lesson. Miss Walker presented a study on Latin America which was followed by group discussion.

The meeting closed with prayer.

Rev. Bruce Matthews of Terminal is visiting in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Matthews.

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## Legal Terms Have Exact Meaning

The average person seldom needs to exercise any great degree of caution in selecting the words and phrases which he uses to communicate his ideas to others. We usually give voice to the first appropriate words which come to mind, and then make use of additional explanation to clarify our expressions if necessary.

In legal documents, however, words must have exact meanings in order that they may be uniformly interpreted by the courts. Lawyers naturally become accustomed to this situation, and frequently use terms which have a definite meaning to them, but which do not always convey the same meaning to laymen.

Below are explanations of several legal terms commonly used by attorneys. Exact definition has not been attempted, as this would take too much space and would involve the use of other terms having a legal meaning which might not be entirely clear.

However, you will find below a general idea of the meanings involved. See how these correspond with your own definitions.

**Real Property.** Real property consists of land and includes generally buildings, fences and other improvements erected upon or attached thereto. Also generally included within the term are trees and crops growing upon the soil.

**Personal Property.** This term ordinarily includes movable possessions of a person which are not so attached to the soil as to become real estate. Stocks, bonds, notes, livestock and household furnishings which are not firmly attached to or made a part of the house itself, come within the ordinary meaning of the term.

**Community Property.** In Texas community property includes all property acquired by a husband or wife after their marriage, except such items as may be obtained by one of the parties through gift or inheritance.

**Separate Property.** This phrase covers property owned by either husband or wife before their marriage, and such real or personal property as may be acquired after marriage by gift or inheritance.

**Trust.** A trust occurs where one person holds the legal title of real or personal property for the benefit of another person. For example, a husband may direct in his will that after his death certain property shall be held and managed by some corporation or individual, with income going to his widow. In such a case the person holding legal title and control of the property is known as a trustee.

Another type of trust is sometimes called a **spendthrift trust**. This is an arrangement whereby one sets up a certain sum of money to be given out to another at a definite rate per month, or per year, or under definite restrictions. This type of trust is generally used in wills where a person desires to leave money to an individual, but feels that the individual is not capable of properly caring for the money and that if left to them in full that the party receiving the money will spend and waste the money and not receive the maximum benefit from it.

There are certain technicalities in setting up such an arrangement but in a proper case they will preserve to the beneficiary a definite income, and see that the principal estate left to the beneficiary is not wasted.

## HOUSES FOR LEPERS

Lamborene, French Gaboon — It is reported that Dr. Albert Schweitzer, the noted philosopher, musician and doctor-missionary, is spending the money of his Nobel Prize on the reconstruction of his leper colony in Lamborene. There are 250 lepers in the group, who live in grass-thatched adobe huts. Two new buildings are under construction and three more are to follow which will have brick and cement foundations and corrugated iron roofs.

## COP FINDS OWN STOLEN CAR

Saginaw, Mich. — While patrolling his beat about midnight recently, Patrolman Patrick McPhillips passed a parking lot and saw a boy in a car. Suspicious, the officer took a look and found the car had been ransacked and three new fishing plugs in the 15-year-old's pocket. Besides the car belonged to McPhillips.

## REPLANTED MOLARS?

Cleveland, Ohio. — If you get some teeth knocked out, grab them up fast and run for the dentist's office. If they are in good condition, your dentist may be able to replant them, according to Dr. H. A. Maxmen, Detroit dental specialist. Such replanted teeth have been known to grow into the jawbone and last as long as 15 years.

## MIXED-UP RIDE

Watertown, N. Y. — Police recently found that ten boys had taken over a cement mixer in the rear of a building supply house and were taking turns riding inside the barrel and cranking. The makeshift "ride" accommodated two customers at a time.

Brownell asks industrialists to support anti-spill bills.

## Fairview Breezes

Rain and more rain is just what we have been having the past two days, but we appreciate it very much.

Rev. Earl Landtroop preached for us Sunday morning but returned to his home in the afternoon because of the rainy weather.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Wesley have gone back to Oklahoma City where E. E. entered McBride Clinic for further treatments.

Artis Sue Wesley is staying with her grandparents, the J. W. Wesleys, while her parents are in Oklahoma City.

G. E. Wesley was unable to attend church Sunday morning because of illness.

Miss Lavena Amerson and Mrs. H. H. Shipman were caring for T. H. Shipman Sunday at Neblett Hospital where he is quite ill. He was taken ill last week while visiting a brother and had to be brought home in an ambulance.

Charlene Sutton visited Sunday night with Susie Wesley.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Tooke and Bill visited Sunday in the J. W. Wesley home.

Those enjoying a picnic in Palo Duro Park Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Tooke and Bill, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wesley and Arlis Sue and Charlene Sutton.

We were glad to welcome Mrs. Serena Bryan, Tom Rogers, and Mrs. Virgie Cook back to church Sunday after an absence of about three months.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Prosser, John, David, and Ronald Jean visited Saturday night and Sunday in the G. E. Wesley home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wesley and Sue visited Thursday morning with Mrs. Wesley's mother, Mrs. M. F. Evans.

We were grateful for our visitors, the Sunny Hill club, our county judge and commissioner, for rendering such an interesting program for us at the home demonstration club meeting at the community center Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Julian Evans visited over the week-end with his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Evans.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wesley ate ice cream with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Evans Wednesday evening.

## MARRIAGE LICENSES

Dewitt Talmadge McGehee to Abbie Inis Thomas, May 3.

William Silvers to Wanda Joyce King, May 5.

Eloise and Ed Money have returned from Keene where they have been attending Southwestern Junior College. They received their high school diplomas there at the close of the spring term. They are the son and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Money.

Mrs. Elsie Money has returned from a visit with Mrs. Olie Hufman in Cleburne.

Mrs. R. E. Foster left Thursday for Houston to visit with her son Don and family.

## LABOR

The leaders of three large unions of usually divergent views have formed an informal alliance "to prod the Federal Government to act on unemployment and underemployment, the Taft-Hartley Law and other issues of interest to labor." John L. Lewis, president of the United Mine Workers; David J. McDonald, president of the United Steelworkers; and David Beck, head of the International Brotherhood of Teamsters, formed the alliance.

## DRIVER, 10, KILLS BABY

Cincinnati. — James Lykins, Jr., 10, kept begging his father to let him drive the family automobile. Finally, Lykins said he could drive it back and forth in the driveway. Jimmy lost control of the car, struck a baby's playpen near the garage and ran over and killed Douglas Byrnside, 15-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Byrnside.

## Sports Quiz

1. What U. S. girl recently won the Rome International Tennis Tourney?
2. How many times has Native Dancer raced this year?
3. What rookie led the American League in batting after four weeks of play?
4. What Milwaukee slugger was recently fined for speeding?
5. Before he ran the mile, what distance was Roger Bannister competing in?

## THE ANSWERS:

1. Maureen Connolly.
2. Twice.
3. Bill Tuttle, of Detroit.
4. Eddie Matthews.
5. The half-mile.

## NO MISTAKE

Mrs. Peck — I trust, Henry, you are coming home tonight promptly at 9 o'clock.

Henry (hesitatingly) — I had thought about 10—

Mrs. Peck (interrupting sharply) — What did you say?

Henry (quickly) — About ten minutes to nine.

## LOOKS LIKE IT

According to firemen, a good home is one you can get out of. Judging by the week-end traffic, guess a lot of folks can qualify.

## Political Announcements

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1: P. H. BABER

For County Judge: ROY JOE STEVENS

For County Attorney: D. E. "Gene" McGLASSON

For Sheriff: L. S. JOHNSTON

For County Treasurer: MRS. RUTH ADCOCK HILL

For County Clerk: T. H. LAIR

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 2: CLARENCE BECKMAN

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 3: GLENN W. DOWLEN

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 4: CHAS. Y. JOHNSON

H. BARNES SAMUEL

For Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1: CARL ANDERSON

For District Clerk: MRS. ETHEL MULLINS

MRS. MAVIS HARDEN HILL

Tax Assessor and Collector: ROLAND BLACK

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For Judge 47th Judicial District: HENRY S. BISHOP

E. E. (Gene) JORDAN

For District Attorney, 47th Judicial District: A. J. ROBINSON

GIB HOWARD

For Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 4: MRS. W. J. FLESHER

For State Representative, 94-F District: BILL ANDIS

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Smith of Wintergarden, Fla. are visiting Mrs. Smith's mother, Mrs. Addie Hefner, and with her sisters, Mrs. Jay Prichard and Mrs. Otta Lee Elkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Cavitt of Portales, N. M., and Mrs. Chester Dowell of Dumas spent the week-end in the home of their mother, Mrs. Ruth Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Hensley of La Crosse, Kansas, were here to visit with his sisters and brother-in-law, Nester Gass of Hereford, who suffered a stroke last week.

Miss Elizabeth York of Ft. Worth is visiting in the home of her sister and family, the H. V. Andersons.

We will be open on Memorial Day. Stevens Flowers and Stevens Floral, Canyon, Tex. 711

Mrs. Vema Kettles has returned to her home in Colfax, Iowa, after visiting at the Arthur C. Haley and Gerald Warwick homes.

Mrs. R. D. Lowry spent Sunday in Amarillo as guest of her nephew and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Qualls.

Mrs. Warren Johnson of Los Angeles is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Morris Sims, in Happy and with relatives in Canyon.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Powell of Tulsa spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Chandler.

J. D. Barker was in Dallas on business Thursday and Friday.

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## CARD OF THANKS

We would like to take this means of expressing our thanks and gratitude to the nice neighbors and friends for their kindnesses during the illness of our wife and mother, Mrs. W. A. Black. W. A. Black and family. 7p1

We wish to express our sincere appreciation and thanks for the many kind deeds, the lovely flowers, delicious food, cards and words of sympathy that helped to comfort us during the loss of our beloved wife, mother and grandmother, J. L. Chenault. Mrs. Ed Caskey and family, Mrs. L. L. Chenault and sons. 7p1

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Submit bids on individual items. The same is to be advertised according to law. Bids shall be accompanied by bond as provided by Article 2368 RCS and shall be opened and read in the County Court Room at the time set out above. The Court reserves the right to waive technicalities and to reject any and all bids. 713

HELP WANTED: Shirt press and flat press operators, apply in person. Canyon Steam Laundry. 71f

WILL DO HOUSE WORK or ironing. Dial 5-3016. 6p3

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FOR SALE: Green frieze living room suite and newly upholstered over-stuffed chair; four piece, walnut bedroom suite, springs and mattress all in good condition. Dial 5-3757. 71f

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FOR RENT: Furnished two room apartment with bath; near college; bills paid. 2712 2nd Ave. 5-3437. 71f

FOR RENT: 2 bed room unfurnished apartment all utilities separate, private bath, it is nice, located on East side of College campus. Phone 5-2528. G. B. Heath. 711

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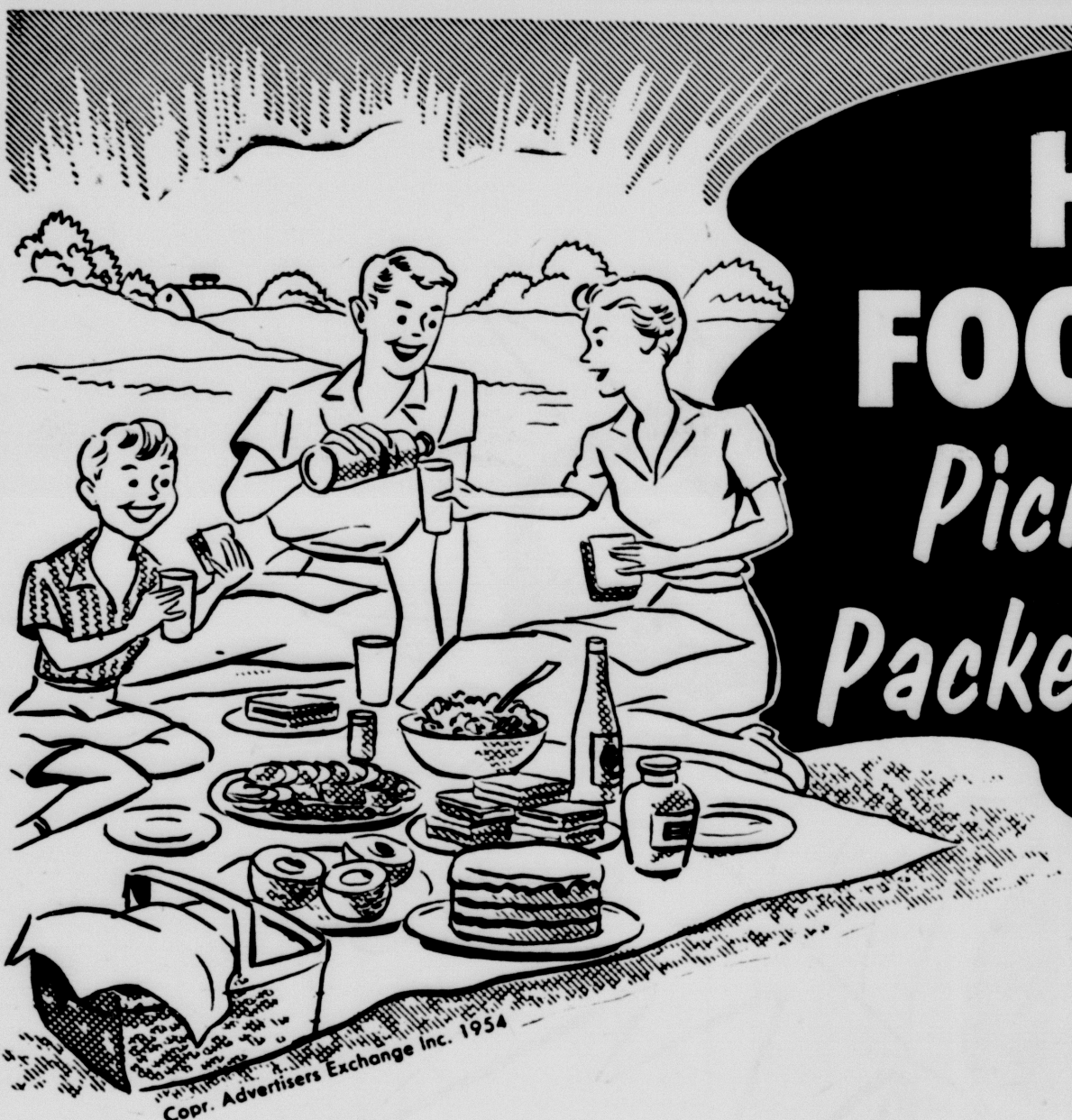
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*Picked-for-Picnics  
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Enjoy the holiday weekend to the fullest by taking a vacation from cooking chores. Yes — whether you plan to eat indoors or out, you'll have a real "picnic" for yourself preparing perfect lunches or delightful dinners with these easy-to-fix food favorites. With a good variety of these grand-tasting foods on hand, you're ready for wonderful fun-feasts . . . with plenty of time to enjoy them. So, come fill your basket with these fine food values for happy holiday meals.

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FRESH DRESSED  
**FRYERS, lb. . . . 49c**

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**STEAK, Sirloin, lb. . . 59c**

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**OLIVES, 16 oz. Jar . . 39c**

HEINZ FRESH CUCUMBER  
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Part dessert, part drink, this is a gala dish to put together when the crowd drops in:

ripe cantaloupe melon  
1 cup washed strawberries  
small bottle fruit flavored carbonated beverage  
strawberry ice cream  
Cut ripe cantaloupe melon in half and remove seeds. Place berries around edge. Fill 1/2 full of cavity with carbonated fruit-flavored beverage. Add large scoop of strawberry ice cream. Serve pronto, with spoon and short straw. Serves two.



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**Latest Rumors From Political Front of Nation**

President Eisenhower has accepted this fundamental military decision: Air and sea power, using atomic weapons—not large-scale use of American man power—will be the U. S. contribution if this country gets involved in any more wars in Asia.

Charles Bohlen, U. S. Ambassador to Russia, is advising that Russian leaders are talking tough war talk as a means of deterring the United States from strong action in Asia. Top Communists are pictured as fearing that the U. S. will move into Indo-China and thereby precipitate a big war that Russia wants to avoid right now.

Admiral Arthur Radford, Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, was ready and willing to use tactical atomic weapons on Communists attacking Dienbienphu, but could not get the approval of leaders in Congress or any support from this country's allies.

Sir Winston Churchill, Britain's Prime Minister, gave a flat "No" to a proposal of Admiral Radford, personally presented, that atomic weapons be used to stop Communist armies then concentrated around Dienbienphu in Indo-China.

John Foster Dulles, U. S. Secretary of State, is being told by the British that no Pacific alliance will really be effective unless the initiative for it comes from nations of the area, not from the United States. Americans wonder if there will be any initiative unless U. S. supplies it.

Gen. Matthew Ridgway, U. S. Army Chief of Staff, has put his foot down on any more of what the military call "hobby wars." He insists that if this country moves into Southeast Asia it should be on the basis of all-out war with broad mobilization.

Anthony Eden, Britain's Foreign Minister, is using his influence to keep India's Nehru from lining up Asian countries against the U. S. plan for a defense organization in the South Pacific.

Mr. Eisenhower is looking for a Democrat to go as a special emissary to India to see if a way can be found to placate Pandit Nehru. A gesture of this kind is viewed as a step toward revival of a bipartisan foreign policy.

The President is being advised by Democratic leaders that their price for going along on major lines of foreign policy is to be assurance that Herbert Brownell, Attorney General, will not keep pushing the idea that Democrats promoted the Communist cause. Democrats are highly sensitive on the Communist issue.

Harry Truman, former President, was rebuffed by the White House staff when he asked for a minute to pay his respects to President Eisenhower at the time the President visited Kansas City. As a result, Mr. Truman has let it be known that any future meeting with Mr. Eisenhower will have to be at the President's invitation.

Senator Joseph McCarthy, of Wisconsin, is continuing to get requests to speak for Republican candidates in coming election contests despite reports that the Re-

publican National Committee is not to sponsor his appearances. Politicians say that the Communist issue still has a lot of life in it.

Senators Homer Capehart and William Jenner, not of the Eisenhower wing of the Republican Party, have lost control of Republican Party machinery in their State, Indiana. Eisenhower Republicans are in the saddle and have plans to try to unseat Senator Capehart in 1956.

Robert Stevens, Secretary of the Army, remains determined to use any power he has to get before the public the full story of the battle between Senator McCarthy and the Pentagon. Mr. Stevens is convinced that before the last word is spoken in the Senate hearings he will come out on top with the country in his argument with the Wisconsin Senator.

Douglas McKay, Secretary of the Interior, is starting on a selling job to convince Western States that a Republican Administration remains interested in building big dams for power and reclamation. The principal reason for this salesmanship: Republicans are beginning to worry about the political situation in the West.

T. Coleman Andrews, Commissioner of Internal Revenue, is coming under fire from some Republicans in Congress, not from the White House or Treasury Department. The Commissioner of Revenue has resisted pressures to give jobs on a patronage basis and has been tough in his attitude toward tax settlements.

Deputies of the German Reichstag, after a visit to U. S., say they were startled to be told that, in case of atomic war, 65 million Americans would be casualties but the remaining 100 million would go on to win the war. That sounded to them like an awful lot of casualties.

**WALKING IS HER JOB**

Watertown, Mass. — Joan E. Trott, 26, has walked a distance equivalent of from Boston to Los Angeles during the last year, although she has not left town. For five days a week, she is a shoe-tester for a rubber firm. After a day's work, she often spends half the night dancing.

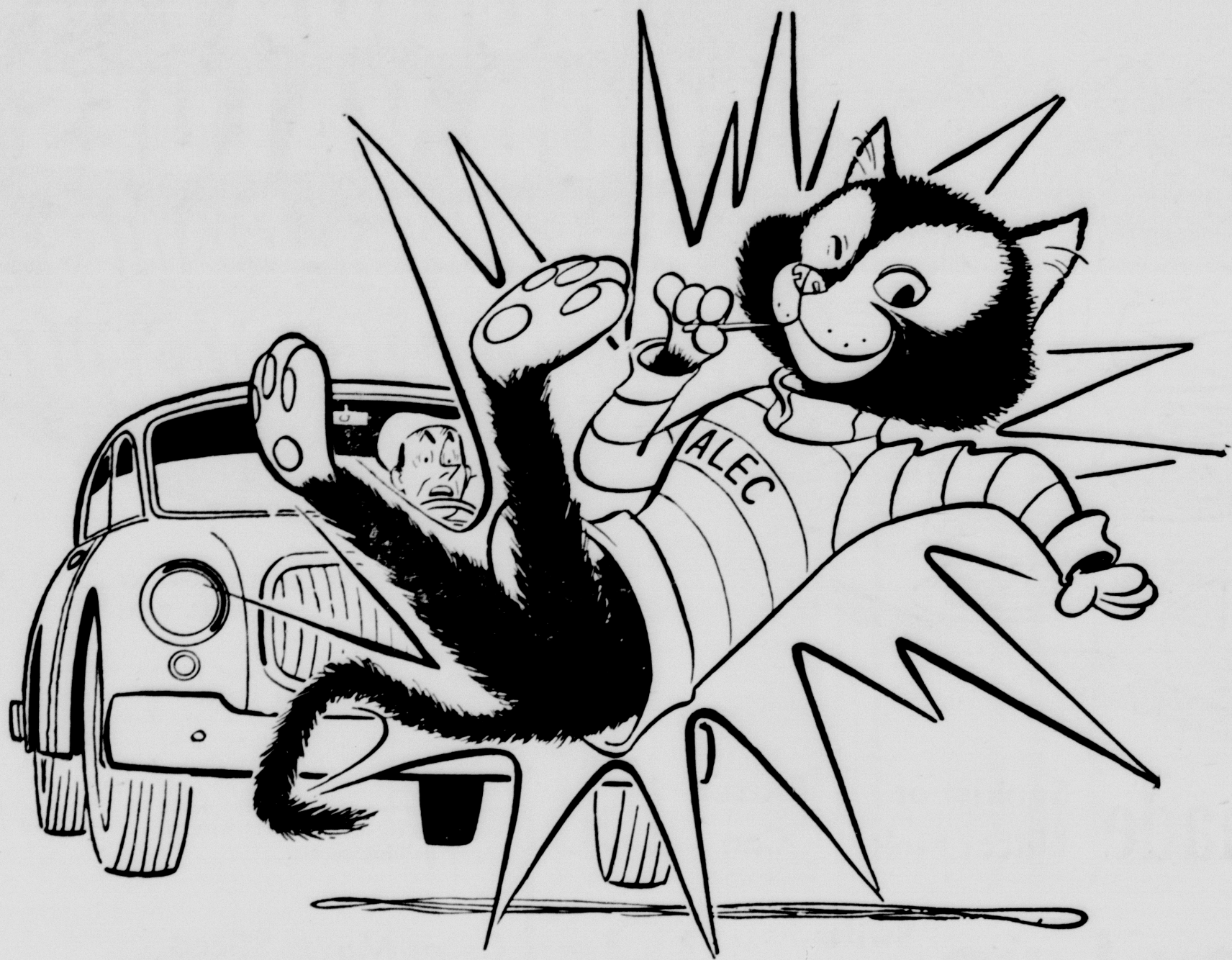
**CAUSE FOR PAUSE**

"How do you cure your husband from staying late at the club?" "When he came in late one night, I called out, 'Is that you, Jim?' and my husband's name is Frank."

Merchandising programs headed by a recognized authority, are being prepared by the Administration for the disposal, at home and abroad, of Government-held surplus foods and fibers.

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The Canyon News





By VERN SANFORD  
Texas Press Association

AUSTIN: "Evidence of fraudulent and corrupt abuse of our insurance laws, and gross if not criminal laxness in their enforcement" was cited by Associate Justice Robert G. Hughes of the Court of Civil Appeals in Austin.

Being considered was a case involving the Texas Mutual Insurance Company of Beaumont.

Garland A. Smith, chairman of the Board of Insurance Commissioners, agreed with Hughes' opinion that the company had been improperly organized. He said that the commission had changed its rules covering the appraisal of real estate for assets, as a result of the case.

Smith stated that "under our laws, a company can be solvent today and broke three months later." He pointed out that his commission had 28 examiners and that there are some 1,884 companies to examine every two years. "We aren't physically able to do it," Smith said.

He pointed out that Texas insurance laws are generally sound but that "a few termites are going through a few loopholes." Smith repeated his recent statement that the board will insist on corrections in the insurance laws by the next Legislature.

#### Office Padlocked

Ralph W. Hammonds, attorney-in-fact for Lloyd's of North America insurance company, protested in 98th District Court here that he is "defenseless" because his Houston office has been padlocked.

Attorney General John Ben Shepperd charged that the company was established by fraudulent means and is now insolvent, having a \$427,000 deficit. The attorney general seeks a receivership to protect the policyholders.

Padlocking of the Houston office was by court order.

#### New Officials

Mark Wentz of Big Spring took office as state fire insurance commissioner, succeeding the late Paul H. Brown.

H. C. Pittman of Waco was sworn in as a member of the Industrial Accident Board. He succeeds Robert L. Hill who resigned.

#### Political Pot Percolates

Things will boom in June on the political front. Candidates are busy now getting their houses in order for the campaign. What looked to be rather a dull campaign season now promises to be rather a lively affair.

Governor Allan Shivers, seeking a third elective term, spent a few days in Austin, between a vacation in Alabama and his trip to Korea. He planned to leave the Korean

party early, to be in St. Louis May 31 to address the Southern Baptist Convention.

Meantime, Shivers' main opponent, Ralph Yarborough of Austin, also was actively setting the stage for his race.

Yarborough has appointed Bob Sawtelle of San Antonio as his campaign manager. Sawtelle is son-in-law of the late State Senator Woodville Rogers.

#### Road Problem

Representatives of state, local, and private highway interests form a special committee assigned by Governor Allan Shivers to the job of working out a road program that will be presented to the next Legislature.

Texas Good Roads Association, which has a member on the committee, is in favor of a one-cent increase in the gasoline tax to provide money for growing highway needs.

This question is expected to be a major one when the Legislature meets.

#### More Patrolmen

Col. Homer Garrison, Jr., director of the Texas Department of Public Safety, says he will ask the next Legislature for more highway patrolmen.

Four hundred seventy men now are on the job, says Garrison, and 200 more are needed to cut down rural traffic fatalities.

#### Abolish Orphans' Home?

A proposal, made by the Texas Research League, to abolish the state orphan's home at Corsicana was being considered by the State Board for Hospitals and Special Schools.

Almost immediately following announcement of the plan, inquiries from Texans seeking to adopt children from the home began to arrive. Alvin H. Burger, executive director of the Texas Research League, said that was a "totally unexpected response." The league feels the children should be placed in foster family homes, rather than kept in an institution.

Corsicana and Navarro County officials objected strenuously to the proposal. The home has been in operation since 1889.

Also before the Board was a plan to set up a new state mental hospital in Southeast Texas.

Another project before the board is a new dormitory for the Texas School of the Deaf in Austin. Now being used as a dormitory is a building so dilapidated that it was declared no longer fit for habitation.

#### College Usefulness

Junior Colleges can expand their services to their communities, according to Dr. J. W. Reynolds, University of Texas professor in junior college education.

At a conference here, the professor suggested that the junior colleges should be more sensitive to the needs of the areas where they are located.

#### Plan To Retire

Plan now for your retirement income, is the counsel of James B. Marley, social security official here.

One American in 12 is now over 65 years old, and the proportion

of aged people to total population continues to grow, Marley said, adding that social security is not intended to provide a full retirement income.

#### Officer Dies

R. A. Wahl, who was with the state selective service system since 1941, died here at the age of 64. At the time of his death, he was the system's state procurement and fiscal officer.

#### Wheat Estimate

Texas' winter wheat crop was estimated by the U. S. Department of Agriculture at 23,418,000 bushels, an increase over the estimate made April 1.

An official of the USDA here said the increase reflected improved moisture conditions.

#### Laughlin's Appeal

Lawyers for ousted Judge C. Woodrow Laughlin, appealing his case to the U. S. Supreme Court, attacked the authority of the Texas Supreme Court under the state constitution to remove a district judge.

Legal counsel for Laughlin contends that the state constitutional provision violates the Fourteenth Amendment, or due process clause, of the federal constitution.

#### Ridiculous, He Says

"Ridiculous as Romeo's running against Juliet" — that's what Attorney General John Ben Shepperd thinks of C. Woodrow Laughlin running against George Parr for judge of the 79th district, which includes Duval County.

Archer Parr, sheriff of Duval and George Parr's nephew, is running for the state legislature.

#### Peru For You

Wick Fowler, secretary to Governor Allan Shivers, and long-time newspaperman, does his best to keep things from getting dull for people waiting to see the Governor.

Wick sent a waiting group into much laughter a few days ago when talking on the telephone to someone who wanted an official "letter" to take along on a trip out of the states. Such letters, written on the governor's stationery, are addressed to "To Whom it May Concern," state that the traveler is a good Texan and that any courtesies extended him in the foreign country will be appreciated. The official gubernatorial seal with red ribbons is affixed at the bottom.

After listening to the request of the caller in question, Wick asked, "Where did you say you were going — Nicaragua? Heck, you can't go there. You'll have to go to Peru — I can't spell Nicaragua."

Wick pulled a "Fowlerism" on Ed Gossett of Dallas recently that's been good for several repetitions in the Capitol City. Ed, a former Texas Congressman, now is general attorney for the Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. in Texas.

Wick told him to pass the word on to the telephone folks in Dallas that a small West Texas town had something new in phone service. While Gossett picked up his ears, Fowler explained that he picked up a phone and a woman's voice asked for the number. "I told her and presto—she got me

my party. I didn't have to dial or anything like that."

## Four Famous Programs at WT

Four special programs, led off by the United States Navy Band, "The World's Finest," will be presented next year at West Texas State College, President James P. Cornette has announced.

The programs were selected by a faculty-student committee, after a poll of the student body decided bringing outstanding entertainment to the campus through the student activity fee. Students with the activity fee will be able to attend all programs without charge, and a limited number of season tickets will be available to the public.

Following the Navy Band's appearance here Nov. 4, famed pianist Soulima Stravinsky, son of the noted composer, Igor Stravinsky, will perform January 17.

Second semester programs include an appearance by actress-producer-dramatic reader Eva Le Gallienne, Feb. 10; and a "Victor Herbert Festival," starring Robert Rounseville, tenor, on March 17. All programs are at night.

#### DINNER BRIDGE CLUB MEETS

Dr. and Mrs. Roger Whealy were hosts to members and guests of the Dinner Bridge Club for their regular May meeting.

Special guests were Mr. and Mrs. Herman Demus. Members present were Dr. and Mrs. Robert

#### WESLEYAN SERVICE GUILD SIGNS PLEDGE CARDS

The Wesleyan Service Guild met in the home of Mrs. C. A. Murray on May 18.

Meeting was opened with The Lord's Prayer. Mrs. H. H. Johnson gave the devotional on "Stewardship." Mrs. Velma Larson was leader of the program, "Might of Money." Mrs. Joe Winstead gave a report on "A Student School in Kentucky," and "Social Relations." Mrs. Gladys Haines reported on "Alaskan Hospital;" Mrs. Jewel Gidden on "The United Nation in Action" and Mrs. Bullard on "Dedicated Dollars Across the Seas."

Pledge cards were signed for the coming year.

Mrs. George Hill was given a small gift as retiring coordinator. A discussion of membership closed the meeting.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames Ruth Hill, Aileen Hunter, Gidden, Larson, Haines, Murray, Johnson, Tommie Pierce, Bullard, Olga Seales, Winstead, Fred Scott, Hill, and Misses Faye Oatis and Irene Hicks.

Next meeting will be at the church on Tuesday, June 1, at 7:30 p. m.

P. Jarrett, Dr. and Mrs. Houston Bright, Mr. and Mrs. Hosea Foster, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Newman, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Holman, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Morris, and Mrs. Otis Parker.

High scores were won by Larry Holman and Mrs. Bright.

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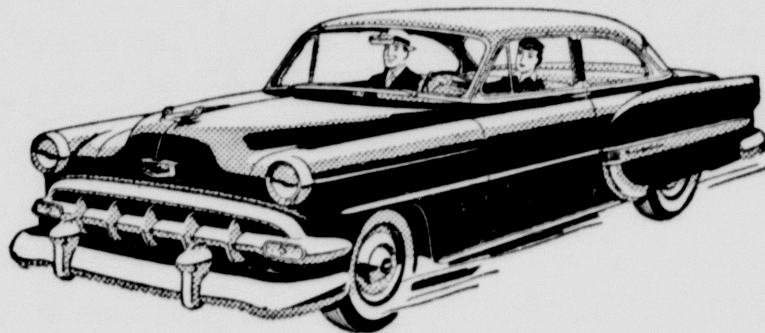
Another three weeks or a month and the women will be in the midst of their annual spring orgy of moving the furniture hither, yon, and back again.

Arthur Radford, Admiral, U.S.N. chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff: "The 'New Look' (in the armed services) is less a radical change than a reappraisal of military methods."

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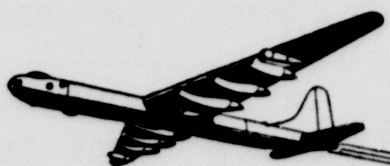
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FRESH CORN, 3 For 10c

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## Canyon Future Farmers Award Honorary Chapter Degrees to Three Local Men at Recent Banquet



At the 17th annual banquet of the Canyon Chapter of the Future Farmers of America, Hosea Foster, Charles Donnell and W. E. Miller were awarded the Honorary Chapter Farmer Degree in the Future Farmers of America. This honor was given in recognition of the fine support they have given the local chapter in their activities.

Mr. Foster has served on the sales committee of the Randall County Junior Livestock Show Association for several years and has been instrumental in getting a premium for the boys livestock, which has helped boys receive state-wide honors in the F.F.A. Mr. Foster furnished a part of the insurance for the pickup loaned to the chapter for its use by the West Texas Motor Company. Not only has Mr. Foster helped the local chapter but he has been active in Boy Scouts and other youth organizations.

### Will Be 90 . . .

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daughter Mr. Richards passed away Sept. 27, 1932.

Mrs. Richards has five living children. They are: Mrs. Carl Anderson, Mrs. E. Gidden, Mrs. Wilson Campbell, Miss Pearl Richards and P. J. Richards. She has six grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Her family joins her in thanking all her friends for the beautiful flowers and gifts, food and many pleasant deeds that have made her years in bed most happy.

She is a member of the Methodist Church and enjoys the visits of her pastor and the ladies who come to play her old fashioned organ. Mr. Richards purchased this organ in Dallas more than 50 years ago and it has been one of her greatest sources of pleasure all through the years. A number of her friends come regularly to play on this organ for her.

As a young woman her hobby was gardening and she won many prizes at the Amarillo Fair on her cabbage, tomatoes, and peppers. Many happy returns to this kind and gentle woman who through the years has loved and lived so bountifully.

Mr. Donnell has painted the signs and background for the educational booths the Canyon F.F.A. has had on display at the Tri-State Fair for the past several years. The booth has always been in the top bracket of the many booths on exhibit there. Supplies for the concessions, from which the local chapter finances its activities, were obtained from Mr. Donnell and the Olympic Theater. Mr. Donnell is one of the very active citizens of the city of Canyon and is at present president of the Chamber of Commerce.

Mr. Miller has served for the past two years as the secretary-treasurer of the Randall County Junior Livestock Association. He has been very active in the membership drives and in the success of the shows. Much of his time is devoted to the organization and the interests of the boys of the community. He was the first to exhibit the champion pig in the local show when the old County Fair was in operation.

Honorary Chapter Farmer Degree is the highest honor that the local chapter can confer. This degree is awarded to those men in the community that have rendered outstanding service to the organization. In order to be eligible for the award a man must have lived in the community for at least two years.

Local Chapter has a membership

## C. E. Campbell and Wife Hurt in Hiway Accident Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Campbell were injured Sunday afternoon when their car and a truck side-swiped on the highway south of Canyon.

The Campbells were driving south when their car hit a truck driven north. The Campbells, both 61 years of age, were badly injured. He received a broken hip and Mrs. Campbell received scalp cuts. Both were taken to the Lubbock Hospital after emergency treatments at the Neblett Hospital. Onice Graves, 48, of San Angelo was uninjured.

this year of 76 boys. The banquet had an attendance of 206.

There are many members of the local community that have rendered service to the Chapter.

## Tulia Boy Died Result Accident

Gerald Pearson, 19, of Tulia, died in the Neblett Hospital Saturday as the result of an accident on the highway north of Canyon.

Pearson was driving a truck in which Ulys Kerby was riding. The two were north bound, and in attempting to pass a second vehicle in the center lane it was apparent that a third car pulled out into the center lane. The driver sought to escape a head-on collision and drove to the west lane of the highway. The truck evidently got out of control and smashed into a tree on the west side of the road.

Pearson seemed to be improving until early Saturday morning when he started to sink, and he died at 6:30 o'clock.

Kerby, also 19, was reported to be unable to give any light on the accident. He was badly injured in the crash.

## Animal Hospital Under Construction

July 1 has been set as likely opening date for Dr. J. L. Markham's \$10,000 animal hospital on the Hereford highway.

E. F. Sipes, Amarillo contractor, is doing the construction on the haydite block and redwood building, which will have a pylon front.

Dr. Markham, who came to Canyon three years ago upon receipt of his doctor of veterinary medicine degree from Texas A&M College, said the building will incorporate many of the newest features in animal hospital construction.

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## Burton Gym Is Being Removed

Burton Gym is falling before the hammer of workmen, who have the clean up job on the campus of West Texas State.

When money is available a Fine Arts building will occupy the space on which the famous old gym stood until fire started the wreckage in February of this year. Since the State carries no insurance on its buildings, and since it had been planned to dismantle the old gym some time in the future, work was started during the past week of tearing down the famous old gymnasium.

It was nearly 30 years ago that work was started on the Burton Gym.

The college produced the tallest basketball team in the world because of the fine gym which was the joy and pride of all college students and citizens of Canyon.

Even before Burton Gym was started, Coach S. D. Burton had demanded recognition for his basketball teams which played in the small women's gym in the Administration building. Many thought that the seating capacity of 1400 was too great an accomplishment for Canyon, but it was soon realized that this would not begin to hold the crowds which attempted to see the Buffs in action.

The result of the overflow crowd game after game led to promotion of the new Field House, with its seating capacity of 4,000 persons.

Wonder how long it will take to overflow this new structure the same as Buffalo Gym was overrun?

## W. J. Lord To Study University of Illinois

W. J. Lord of the college faculty will leave Friday for the University of Illinois where he has accepted the appointment of part time instructor while working toward his Ph.D. degree.

He has been a member of the business administration department for the past three years and has been granted a two years leave to complete work on his advanced degree. He holds the degree of BBA and MBA from the University of Texas.

### UMBARGER 4-H NEWS

Joyce and Charlene Friemel were selected to attend the Camp Don Harrington. The camp will start on June 1st and will continue until June 3.

The Umbarger 4-H club held a special meeting May 25 in the church basement. Purpose of the meeting was to decide if we should pay the \$4 on each girl the club is spending. Motion was made by Sylvia Raef. Motion was seconded and carried.

### TO ATTEND NAT'L MEETING

Mrs. T. Winston Wilbanks will leave Thursday and Mrs. Lee Foster will leave Friday for Purdue University, Lafayette, Ind., where they will attend a national meeting of Presbyterian women. Mrs. Wilbanks has been asked to be a recorder and Mrs. Foster to be a discussion leader. On Monday the two have tickets to Don McNeill's Breakfast Club of the Air.

Buy, Build, Live in Canyon!

## Randall County 4-H Member in State Talent Club

For the 12th straight year new members are being added to the rolls of the Talent Club. The Club is sponsored by the Producers Grain Corporation of Amarillo in cooperation with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. Membership is limited to outstanding 4-H members and 16, out of 51 nominations, have been made members for 1954.

The 16 comprising one boy and one girl from each of the eight director districts of the Corporation are: Betty Whitson, Hansford county; Ivan Davidson, Moore county; Irene Detten, Carson county; David Miller, Gray county; Bernice Grabber, Randall county; Roy Milhoan, Potter county; Royce Pyeatt, Castro county; Tom Acker, Castro; Carolyn Lindsey, Hale county; Larry Demel, Hockley county; Janie Busher, Runnels county; Jimmy Roberts, Jones county; Mary Newsum, Wilbarger county; Jerry Phillips, Hardeman county; Ruth Heiler, and J. W. Jackson, Jr., both of Jim Wells county.

Purpose of the Club is to recognize constructive work by 4-H members and to interest them in cooperative activities. The sponsor will, during the week of June 20, take this year's members on a tour of northwest Texas and northern New Mexico where they will visit farm cooperatives and points of interest on their tour route. They will leave from Lubbock for Amarillo, Dalhart, Raton, Taos, Santa Fe and Albuquerque. The tour will be completed when they return to Amarillo.

Mrs. Aubrey Russell, district extension agent, with headquarters at Lubbock; Leroy C. Coufal, assistant county agent at Levelland and Joy Riley, Wilbarger county home demonstration agent, will chaperon the group. Personnel from the sponsoring organization also will make the tour. J. Frank Triplett is general manager for the Corporation.

## Sound Money Was Discussed at the Rotary Luncheon

Don Standley was in charge of the Rotary luncheon Tuesday, discussing sound money. Since the value of the dollar was depreciated, various terms have been given to our money. The names range from "soft" to "hard" money, but the aim of all people is "sound" money. Inflation has decreased the income of bond holders, Social Security benefits, those on salaries and other fixed income of people. Inflation was the greatest aid to Hitler and to the Communist drives.

"Nothing destroys the finances of a nation as quickly as inflation," stated the speaker.

The sale of E and H Bonds is the greatest aid to the government in the fight for sound money. There are 80 million people who have bonds, as against 60 million persons who are borrowers.

The experience of Franklin when he invested \$5,000 in government bonds for a great university to be cashed in 100 years was given as an example of the way money grows when given a chance.

The government has a quota of \$345,000 for Randall county for

E and H Bonds during 1954, and about 34% of these bonds have been sold. More people are buying bonds than are selling them, stated Mr. Standley.

Visitors were: Dr. C. H. Colbert of New York City; Jack Hughes of Canyon; W. B. Harris, Ed Morris, Arthur Bluhm, Guy A. Carlander, Van H. Allm, R. G. Mills, W. L. Stephens, R. L. Barnett, all of Amarillo.

**DEBS LOUDDER WINS AWARDS**  
Debs Harris Loudder, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Loudder, took second place in archery and high jump events for the fifth and sixth grades at Moye Military School Field Day last week. For completing his course in military drill satisfactorily Debs has received the rank of Private First Class.

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## A Time to Remember

I bowed my head reverently with the rest of my classmates during the "moment of silence" in tribute to our soldier-dead, then seeing Old Glory waving from the flag pole on the lawn of our Alma Mater, I stood tiptoe upon a dream and thought, "What a lucky girl you are to be born under that flag, for you can be what you will to be! You are an American."

Then a strange thing happened. The flag seemed to be a living thing with a soul. I heard the silent singing of its stars on its blue of truth, and listening, my soul caught this refrain:

"I am the symbol of America, and America is more than its hills and prairies with their herds and fields of grain; more than its pulsing cities, its mines and its mills . . . America is you and you and you . . . and God."

"I am the symbol of the homes, the churches, schools, enterprises, and the kingly commoners of America."

"I represent your heritage from the past. Look at me and hear the tramping of soldier-feet in the immortal march for freedom; feel within your hearts the 'Spirit of 76'; see the footprints in the snow at Valley Forge; the great, gaunt commoner on his knees in prayer, and the crimson stain, spreading, that meant life was ebbing from his great heart; see the crosses above our youth, martyrs to freedom in recent wars. Look again and behold lilies blooming where men gave life for man; listen and hear the joyous dancing footsteps of those yet unborn."

"Behold the Open Gate, before which stand weary pilgrims: children with eyes empty of laughter; youth burdened with the weight of dead dreams; the elder ones their eyes but burned out embers, their bone-lean hands caressing gaunt throats that too long have felt the choking leash of fear. See their eyes relight with hope as they view the green acres of democracy and reverently enter the gate of America."

Suddenly I knew: The flag is an emblem of freedom, protection, justice, honor, sacrifice, opportunity to all and love for country, fellowman and God. It is the symbol, not only of our heritage from the past but of the future. I knew that it is up to me to help America continue to mean to coming generations what it means to me today; that every right has its concomitant duty, that I must train myself to be able to choose leaders wisely and judge their performance with honesty and understanding. I must fight oppression, intolerance, injustice and keep the land free of the footprints of communism. I must guard the rights of others as jealously as I do my own, and recognize in every man a brother.

Again I looked at the flag waving serenely beneath our peaceful country sky and reverently I breathed, "How much you stand for!" Was I dreaming or did I hear, "The earth a great DEMOCRACY OF LOVE!"

"WHAT THE AMERICAN FLAG MEANS TO ME" by Frances Atkinson, 18, Dayton, Idaho. Prize winning essay in a nation-wide competition conducted by the Disabled American Veterans in conjunction with the radio series "I was a Communist for the FBI."



## Two Conflicting Trends in Nation Between Now and Nov. Election

WASHINGTON: Two conflicting trends are apparent to those watching the political barometer for a clue to the outcome of next November's elections. The first is the general tide over the nation to return members of Congress to their seats. Upsets are few and far between and this is taken as a good omen by Republicans.

The first primary elections in various sections of the country demonstrated there is no tendency on the part of voters in general to "turn the rascals out." And curiously, the Army-McCarthy hearings in this city are proving a big help to several members of the Senate committee. Senior Democrat John McClellan and temporary chairman, Republican Karl Mundt, have received plenty of free publicity in the jow session. Both are up for re-election this year.

The other development which provides a clue to the November elections is the sudden emergence of a coordinated Democratic attack on GOP foreign policy, which was announced by Senate Minority Leader Lyndon Johnson the first week in May. The Democrats are now hammering away at the party in power on both domestic and foreign issues and even such bipartisan stalwarts as Georgia's Dick Russell blasted the administration for "new look" defense nonsense and the notion that we might have to "go-it-alone" in French Indo-China.

Russell told a reporter for this newspaper recently the "new look" was nothing but an "excuse" for reductions in the armed services and he said he could not support any individual action by U. S. forces in Indo-China. That is pretty blunt opposition from the acknowledged leader of many Dixie Democrats.

The effect of this unified Democratic attack on both the administration's foreign and domestic policy is yet to be determined. The Republicans are still optimistic on Capitol Hill, and most crystal gazers are inclined to give the GOP the edge in its fight to retain control of the Senate. But if Alben Barkley wins in Kentucky it may be more difficult than some Republicans assume.

In the House, where membership is almost even between the two parties, the Democrats are given the edge by most prognosticators—mainly because the minority party has traditionally shown up well in off-year elections. But the outcome in the November election is likely to be determined in the next six months, and foreign policy—which has heretofore not been a point of major dispute—will be one of the battlegrounds.

As a result of the obvious ag-

gressive intent of Communist China, demonstrated clearly at Geneva, the United States might have to make a new long-term appraisal of the strategic situation in the Far East. There is even some talk in Washington that the President is ready to ask for an increase in the defense budget.

The view in some official quarters is that the Chinese are a major aggressive force to be reckoned with and that only a strong line up of powerful defense forces in the Asian theater can stop aggression there. When Britain and France didn't put it bluntly to the Chinese Reds at Geneva, they dropped the ball, in the opinion of some U. S. observers.

As a result, the U. S. position is now one which will call for a united front, and Secretary of State John F. Dulles is to set about creating just that. The idea is to have Australia, Britain, France, New Zealand, Thailand, Burma and other countries line up in a new NATO-type alliance. An attack on one would be an attack on all.

In official Washington appraisals

this is the only way the new and powerful Chinese nation can be stopped. At Geneva the Chinese delegates have already demonstrated they will follow identical tactics to those of the Russians. They are considered to be just as ruthless and almost as dangerous, and growing in strength every year.

The best guesses on the business future indicate a continuing summer lull — though there are dissents here — and a slight pickup in general activity by fall. Some forecasters see a pickup in the next 60 days and look for a seasonal drop in late summer and then another upturn in the fall.

But forecasters seem almost unanimous on the fall upturn. They also seem generally agreed that the bottom of the recession is at hand. If the government expands the defense effort, as may now happen, then business might quickly respond to this new outlay. The outlook, then, is good, not bad, for the last half of 1954.

Be small enough to walk with the lowly, and not feel superior. Many will agree with this, but few will follow it. These few will carry the light of ever-lasting sunshine on their countenance.

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# Around the Town..

(By Mrs. Clyde W. Warwick)

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Penick, who live at 1105 4th Ave., have been married 53 years. They delight in raising beautiful flowers which they give generously. Mr. Penick's favorite flower is the Pansy. Six years ago Karon Sue Parker and Judy Taylor stopped almost daily to admire the rich beautiful blooms of this lovely flower and gave to Mr. Penick the nickname "Pansy Penick." He liked the name and to the scores who love this kindly, gentle man and his beautiful flowers he has since been and always will be "Pansy Penick."

Carelessness is a luxury no one can afford.

The roses are blooming. Driving around town you will see many fences covered with lovely red roses. The rose blooms about as early as any flower, and is just about the last flower you can gather from your garden in the fall.

Even if you're on the right track, you'll get run over if you just sit there.

Taking it easy is one of the rewards of an operation. For a while it's fun. Soon it becomes tiresome. It's more fun to be in the race, than to be watching from the sidelines. Take it from anyone who of necessity walks that road.

Once when Mrs. Frank Morgan was ill, the woman who was attending her, on arriving in the morning remarked: "Honey you must have had a bad night. Your eyes look like fried eggs in a mud hole."

Someone has said: "There are three B's that mark old age, bifocals, bridges and bulges."

Dr. J. A. Hill's book "One Man's Faith" is on the market. This book contains the selected speeches and public utterances of Dr. Hill during his term as president of West Texas State College.

Dr. Hill receives no remuneration from the sale of "One Man's Faith." The Ex-Students Association hopes to receive enough from this book to enable it to make a contract with its author to write a history of West Texas State College.

In his book Dr. Hill pays the following beautiful tribute to the teaching profession: "To live with, work for, love and be loved by youth for a long period of years is a privilege that comes in equal measure to people in no other profession than teaching."

Rich and beautiful is the reward of those who work, serve, and love as Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Hill have.

Seated in the first six pews of the Methodist Church Sunday morning were 19 little children all under their "teens." They were with their parents, ten families being represented. There were others farther back. The children giggled some, but so did the grown people. On the whole they were very quiet. It is an inspiration to see parents bringing their children, at an early age, to learn to worship in the House of God.

Mrs. Lee Roy Moreland, 703 W. 4th Ave., won the pie contest offered by Childers Electric. Winning a \$50 prize in merchandise, she selected a Deep Fry and an electric coffee pot. This is the recipe with which Mrs. Moreland won the prize:

Pecan Pie: 3 eggs slightly beaten, 1 cup light Karo, 1/4 ts salt, 1 cup sugar, 1 cup pecans, 1 ts vanilla. Put together in order given, beat after each addition, add pecans last but be sure they are coated. Pastry crust: 1 1/2 cup flour, 1/2 ts salt, 1/2 cup shortening, 4 to 5 Ts. water. Cut shortening into flour with pastry blender. Leave shortening in pieces about the size of small peas. If shortening and flour are over-mixed, the pastry is not so flaky. Place mixture in this unbaked crust and bake in 300 degree oven one hour and 15 minutes.

Mrs. Moreland is the wife of Lee Roy Moreland, who works in the post office. They have one son Andy who is four years old. Mrs. Moreland says she thinks there is nothing nicer than a large family and hopes they will have one. Mr. Moreland is the grandson of W. T. Moreland who "Old Timers" well remember as being associated with the grocery department of the Canyon Supply, an institution which played an important part in the early history of Canyon.

Cy Howard made the following statement in Variety. Said Cy: "I have jobs open for \$1,000 per week writers and I can't find them." Did someone say there are no longer opportunities.

The day when Grandmothers sat in a rocking chair doing the mending, piecing quilts or knitting are

no longer. Today Grandmothers take an active part in many useful activities. There are three Grandmothers who teach in Canyon High School: Mrs. Dan Sanders, Mrs. A. K. Knott, Mrs. Lee Gilmore.

In Canyon Grade School there are 11 Grandmothers who are teaching. They are Mrs. Joe Black, Mrs. T. W. Collins, Mrs. Arthur K. Goodman, Mrs. R. B. Davis, Mrs. Vearl L. Iverson, Mrs. A. L. Walsh, Mrs. L. M. Cousins, Mrs. Dan K. Usery, Mrs. R. E. Ball, Mrs. Charles Harter, and Mrs. Earline Moreman.

These women, because of their experience, serve efficiently, guiding the youth of Canyon to ever higher standards of education and morals, working earnestly that they may make better citizens of our youth. They have a club they call the S.O.G.P.I.P. Ask one of them what it means.

If you want to see a sight that as Curtis Dale Mobley, 6 years old, says "is so beautiful you can't stand it," go by and see Mrs. Joe H. Thompson's poppies at 2400 5th Ave. She has some oriental, some California and some she raises from seed given to her by Mrs. Amason in 1941. Mrs. Thompson says that not once since Mrs. Amason gave her these seeds have they failed to bloom. She gladly saves seed to give to friends, but no one seems to be as successful as Mrs. Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Thompson's daughter Sarah, who teaches in the Canyon Grade schools, says that beginning with February she gathers fresh flowers every day for her room at school from her mother's garden.

For some time now it has been the custom of senior classes to take a trip somewhere. This year Canyon's senior class chartered a bus and went to New Orleans. They had their Senior Banquet at The Court of Two Sisters, a very lovely dining place in a beautiful court. The orchestra, knowing they were from Texas, played "The Eyes of Texas Are Upon You" and dedicated it to the Canyon Seniors.

If thou hast done foolishly in lifting up thyself, or if thou hast thought evil, lay thine hand upon thy mouth. Proverbs 30:32.

## RAISING A THIRST

"Some men thirst after fame, some after love, and some after money."

"I know something they all thirst after."

"What's that?"

"Salted almonds."

Jesse H. Jones, financier, former head of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation: "I'm not an optimist for the country's economy as a whole, because its stilts are too high. We should come down a bit."

## Here Is Where School Kids Get Their Training for the Battles of Life



An unusual picture of the school buildings in the west end of town was taken before the trees were topped, ready for the spring months. The first building is the grade school, with the high school building at the extreme end. Both buildings were erected 27 years ago but are in good state of repair. The cafeteria stands between the two buildings. The shops, band building, and garage is at the rear of the two buildings. Construction is underway on a new school building in the southeast part of Canyon. A contract will soon be let to remodel the above buildings for a high school and junior high school plant. The Board of Regents ordered that the public schools remove all or a part of the students of the West Texas State training school from the campus in order to make more room for college students.

## Check Car To Eliminate All Angles Defects

"Unsafe automobiles are a menace to the community!"

Col. E. B. Tilley of Houston, president of the Texas Safety Association, issued this warning and invited Texas motorists to join the state-wide effort to put all automobiles in good mechanical condition. This vehicle maintenance program, sponsored by all official and non-official groups, is being conducted throughout May in cooperation with the Texas Department of Public Safety and the National Safety Council.

"A motorist has no more right to drive a mechanically unsafe car than he has to walk down the street brandishing a loaded revolver," Col. Tilley said. "In fact," he continued, "the unsafe car could be the greatest menace, since its lethal nature is less obvious."

He pointed out that the alibi, "I didn't know my brakes were in such bad shape," doesn't excuse a fatal automobile accident any more than the alibi, "I didn't know the gun was loaded," excuses a fatal shooting.

"It's every driver's duty to know exactly what condition his automobile is in, and there's no excuse for ignorance on this point," Col. Tilley said.

According to Col. Tilley, a driver should keep checking his car constantly for the more obvious danger points. "This is easy and simple," he said. "A quick walk around the car can show if the lights are working. The windshield wiper, the horn and the mirror can be checked from the driver's seat. A brief examination of his tires will disclose excessive wear. Loss of brake efficiency shows up in ordinary driving."

"But no driver," he said, "should be satisfied with these surface checks. He should have his car checked regularly by a qualified mechanic. On these checks," Col. Tilley said, "the following points should be carefully checked: headlights, rear and stop lights, brakes, tires, steering mechanism, windshield wipers, muffler and exhaust system, window glass, horn and rear-view mirror."

## RUSSIAN TRADE

After a period of inactivity of some five years, the Amtorg Trading Corporation, a Soviet-sponsored concern in this country for the purchase and sale of goods, has been soliciting bids from United States manufacturers on a large variety of products, including machine tools, equipment and agricultural and textile machinery.

## INDO-CHINA

A highly placed governmental official, identified as Vice President Richard M. Nixon, recently declared that the United States would send troops to fight in Indo-China if the French withdrew and the situation demanded it. This statement brought forth many varied opinions from Congressmen, for and against troop participation in the Indo-China war.

Secretary Benson sees boon to the nation in the atom research on foods.

## NAOMI HARE CIRCLE MEETS WITH MRS. JIM PICKENS

The Naomi Hare Circle of the Women's Society of Christian Service met last Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Jim Pickens.

Mrs. Benny Woods presented the program. Excerpts from the Malian W.S.C.S. program based on the Beatitudes and fourth chapter of Ephesians were read and discussed.

The songs "Rescue the Perishing" and "Open My Eyes That I May See" were sung. The group enjoyed a game of learning the newly elected district and local

officers of the W.S.C.S.

During the business meeting Mrs. Velton Sargee was elected chairman; Mrs. Piner Stevens and Mrs. C. M. Dowlen, devotional and program chairman; Mrs. Frank Begert, secretary-treasurer. Mrs. George Hill will act as chairman for the placing of flowers in the sanctuary the last two Sundays in June.

Refreshments were served from the beautifully appointed table by the hostess and co-hostess, Mesdames Pickens and Benny Woods, to 15 members.

The June meeting will be in

the home of Miss M. Moss Richardson.

## MISTAKE

What ultimate consumers recently mistook for the beginning of a collapse in prices proved to be merely the result of high prices slipping a little while relaxing to get second wind in the high altitudes.

## HE WAS THERE SOMEWHERE

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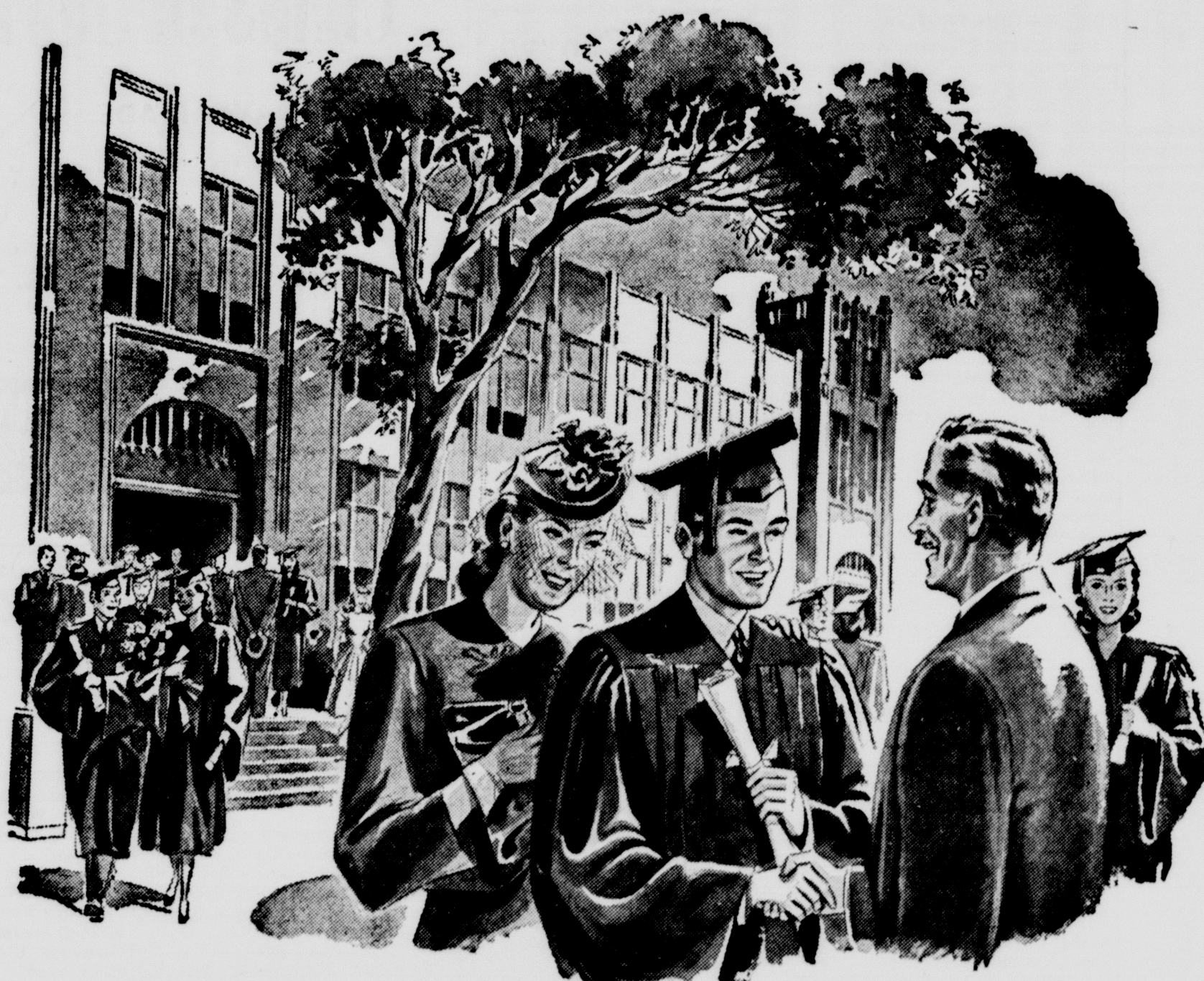
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**JOYCE HILL CIRCLE MAKES REPORT ON TWO MEETINGS**

The Joyce Hill Circle of the Woman's Society of Christian Service met in the home of Mrs. Kenneth Goodman last month. The meeting opened with the group singing "Rescue the Perishing."

Mrs. Bob Bellah, leader of the program, used Mark 4:1-20 as the scriptures for devotional. "Methods of Serving," Mrs. George Hill gave an inspiring summary of the messages she heard while attending the 14th annual Northwest Conference. Theme of the conference was "Jesus Christ the Way."

Those present were Mesdames T. V. Crouse, Art Roberts, George Hill, E. C. Penick, K. E. Frieze, Bob Bellah, Tommie Lair, and the hostess, Mrs. Goodman.

On May 18th the Circle met in the home of Mrs. T. V. Crouse. The meeting opened with the group singing "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name." Mrs. Tommie Lair was leader of the program.

Mrs. Clyde McElroy gave the devotional using the Beatitudes as her subject. The meditation was closed with silent prayer and an oral prayer by Mrs. L. L. Hill.

Mrs. Bob Bellah talked on the National Missionary Conference American Leprosy Mission. Each meeting a black pig bank is passed around and an offering is taken for leprosy. This offering was started in the Hill Circle in January.

Those present were Mesdames L. L. Hill, Goodman, A. W. Sternberg, Frieze, A. A. Douglas, Roberts, McElroy, E. C. Penick, R. M. Sigman, Ray Lumry, Lair, Bellah, and the hostess.

Vacation Bible School was discussed and new circle officers were elected.

**ECONOMICS**

Financier's Son — "Mother, I have an idea."

Mother — "Well."

Son — "Lend me ten shillings, but only give me five, and then I shall owe you five and you will owe me five, and so we shall be quits."

**INDUSTRIAL PAYROLL**

Private industry wages and salaries at seasonally adjusted annual rate of \$193,000,000,000 in March, were \$1,000,000,000 below the February rate, as a result of continued employment declines in non-agricultural establishments.

A child's education should begin at least one hundred years before he was born. — O. W. Holmes.

**CONSTRUCTION**

Construction in the United States continued its record pace in April and brought the first four months of 1954 to more than \$10,000,000,000 as against \$9,933,000,000 for the corresponding 1953 period. The increase reflects the usual Spring expansion in private residential construction plus a more than seasonal spurt in highway building. Total private expenditures increased by 7 per cent over March to \$1,900,000,000 in April, and public building outlays rose by 16 per cent to \$900,000,000.

**BUYER'S FEARS**

The main trouble with the nation's economy is thought to be a lack of business and consumer confidence in the immediate future, according to government economic experts. A Labor-Commerce Department survey on April employment showed that major trouble spots in the country are the factories, the mines and the transportation field.

**GOVERNMENT BUTTER**

The Agriculture Department, with the approval of the White House, has offered to sell up to one-third of a billion pounds of government-owned butter to friendly foreign nations at bargain prices. The Department emphasized that the program does not constitute a "dumping" operation that would depress prices received by other friendly butter-exporting nations, and that special safeguards will be set up to see that the butter does not wind up behind the Iron Curtain.

**FARM PRICE SUPPORT PROGRAMS**

The Agriculture Department has reported that it had \$6,229,489,000 tied up in farm price support programs, as of March 31st. This was a drop of \$23,000,000 from the end of February. The March decline is said to have been due chiefly to improved cotton prices that caused farmers to repay government cotton loans.

**HE DID**

At the rodeo an agile cowgirl rode beneath the horse, on the horse's neck and almost on his tail.

One of the party remarked: "That's nothing. I did all of that the first time I ever rode a horse."

**APPARENTLY**

Sometimes a keen sense of humor seems to be more enjoyed than a keen sense of humor.

**"Please Make It Work for Other Kids"****CORPORATION PROFITS**

Profits of 616 leading American corporations for the first quarter for 1954 ran about even with a year ago, their aggregate net income being \$1,384,221,000 compared with \$1,878,826,000 in the first three months of 1953—actually a gain of a little less than three-tenths of one per cent. The elimination of the excess profits tax last December 31 played a major part in sustaining earnings and enabled some companies to show substantial gains.

**SONIC-BARRIER BAN**

As the result of complaints from citizens, the Air Force has put into effect a new policy "outlawing" the sonic blasts in populated areas. Pilots who plan to exceed the speed of sound—about 700 miles an hour at high altitudes—must do so hereafter in localities where the sharp explosive reports that result will not annoy or frighten anyone, or break any windows.

**RAIL INCOME**

Earnings of major rail systems in the first quarter of 1954 fell 52 per cent from those of the same period a year ago. The net income of Class I railroads was estimated at \$88,000,000, against a net of \$185,000,000 in the first quarter of 1953. Net income is the amount remaining after operating expenses and fixed charges, including taxes. Class I railroads are those doing a million dollars or more gross business annually.

**SLOW ALL RIGHT**

Father (at 11:30 p. m.) — You were a long time saying good night to that young Slowboy. I hope you didn't let him kiss you.

Daughter — Let him! I had to help him.

**WHICH SKULL?**

Professor — Here you see the skull of a chimpanzee, a very rare specimen. There are only two in the country—one in the national museum, and I have the other.

**CHANGED!**

Rural Judge — Ten dollar fine.  
Motorist — Can you change a \$20 bill?  
Judge — No; but I will change the fine and make it \$20.

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**News In Canyon 25 Years Ago**

(Taken from the files of The Canyon News of May 30, 1929)

Mrs. Winnie Davis of Wilson, Okla., a grandmother, took her degree at West Texas State.

The largest class in the history of W. T. received their degrees. The class numbered 110 students.

Miss Frances Collins and Terrell Christian were married.

S. B. Holman has sold his Hereford Brand to the Nunn-Warren interests and Harry Koch has sold his Quanaah Tribune-Chief to the Hawks-Howe interests.

Olin E. Hinkle, editor of the Pampa Daily News, was elected president of W. T. exes to succeed J. Evetts Haley.

**VERY POLITE**

Cleveland, O. — A young man walked into a beverage firm recently, smiled, and said, "I'm terribly sorry, but this is a stickup." After taking \$25 from Mrs. Mary di Cillo, the young man apologized: "You see this is the way I make my living." As he turned to go, he waved goodbye and added softly, "Take it easy now."

**CELEBRATES 100TH BIRTHDAY**

Helena, Mont. — Mrs. Emma Woodson Baker, widow of the late Samuel V. Stewart, once Governor of Montana, recently celebrated her 100th birthday. Mrs. Baker says she is the oldest living graduate of Stephens College, in Columbia, Mo. She is the mother of five children.

**PROBABLY**

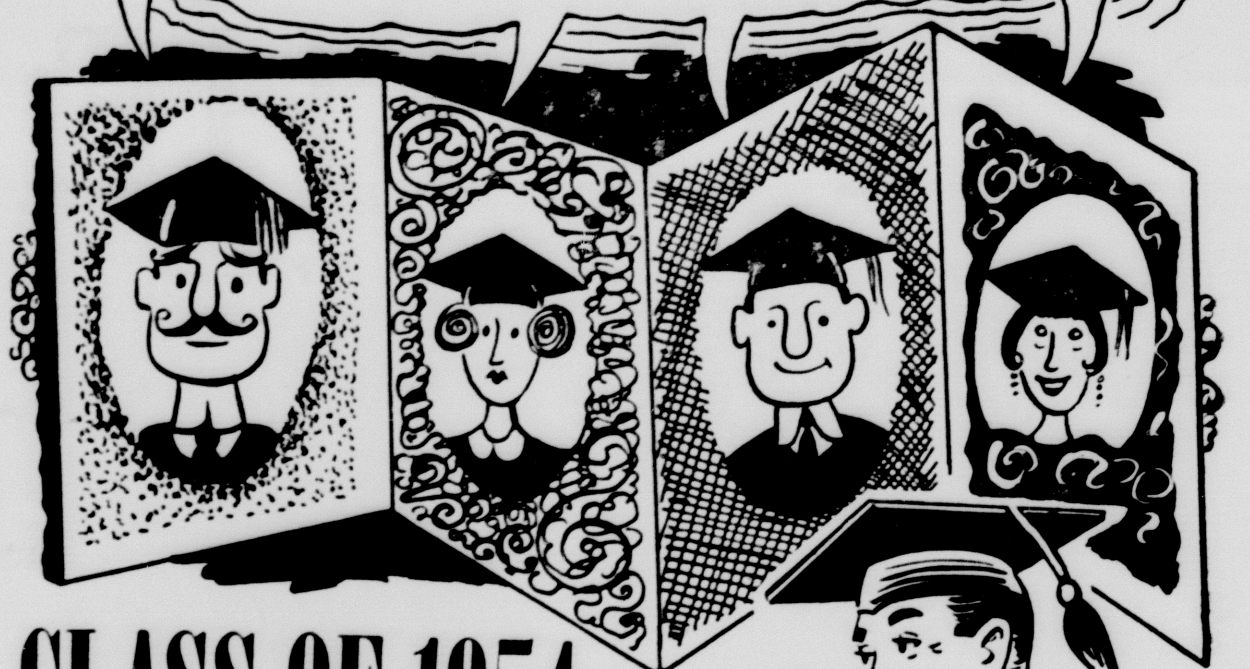
Three of four cats that inherit part of a \$25,000 estate in San Francisco have disappeared. Probably afraid of being pestered by persons wishing to help them spend it.

**THAT'S NO PROOF**

Capt. — Prove your innocence! How can you do that?  
Sgt. — Give me time, Captain.  
Capt. — Thirty days.

Education is a process of driving a set of prejudices down your throat. — Martin H. Fischer.

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**THAT TEXAN AGAIN**

A man from Texas entered the Illinois State Rifle Tournament at Naperville. At 100 and 200 yards he missed every shot, but at 500 yards he made a perfect score. "How come?" a bystander asked. "Well," said the Texan, "back home we never bother to shoot at anything under 500 yards. We just throw rocks."

**BRIEFLY**

The three menaces on the highways today, according to some authorities, are drunken driving, uncontrolled thumbing and indiscriminate spooning. To put it briefly, hic, hike and hug.

President Eisenhower has approved \$1,932,000,000 for building and maintaining state and Federal highways.

**SURE ENOUGH**

Farmer's Wife (to druggist): "Now, be sure and write plain on them bottles which is for the horse and which is for my husband. I don't want nothin' to happen to that horse before the spring plowin'."

**RIGHT!**

Teacher: "Why, Tommy, surely you know what the word mirror means. What do you look at after you've washed, to see if your face is clean?"

Tommy: "The towel, Ma'am."

Europe's finance ministers have decided to continue the European Payments Union for at least another year.

Tight new curbs on atomic data are scheduled.

**SO DO WE!**

We want to be here a few years hence, to see what happens if someone tries to marry a Dionne without permission of the copy-right owners.

The great secret of education is to direct vanity to proper objects. — Adam Smith.

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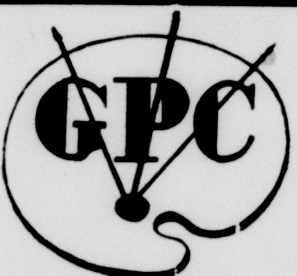
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### WRONG PARKING PLACE

Omaha, Neb. — James P. Patek of Battle Creek, Mich., selected the wrong parking place when he became sleepy driving his car near here and decided to park. He stopped on a railroad track. Just as a freight train roared down the track, two unidentified youths yanked him from the car, which was demolished. Patek was fined \$25 for "illegal parking."

### WORLD'S NEWSPAPERS

Paris. — The total circulation of the world's 7,520 daily newspapers in 1952 was more than 217,000,000 a day, according to a press survey. Britain had the highest circulation per head in the world, with 611 newspaper copies sold every 1,000 inhabitants. The United States had the largest circulation, with 55,000,000 copies being sold daily.

### TOTS FALL 47 FEET, LIVE

Paris, France. — Michele Alepee, 3, and her 21-month-old brother, Tony, fell out of an apartment window and landed on the sidewalk, 47 feet below. They were rushed unconscious to a hospital where X-ray showed no fractures and not even one bruise. An hour later, the children were playing happily in the hospital corridors.

### THIEVES TAKE GREENHOUSE

Los Angeles, Calif. — Recovering from a month's illness and able to enter the nursery business again, Frank Kurnik visited his site to inspect a greenhouse he had bought at an auction for \$500 prior to his illness. Thieves had carted it away in sections, he told police.

### OR BEAT HIM TO IT

Wife, whispering: "Wake up, John! There's a burglar going through your pockets!" Husband, muttering sleepily: "Leave me out of it. You two fight it out between yourselves."

Australia recently disclosed that a Soviet diplomat had fled his Embassy, sought asylum and revealed a Russian spy ring involving Soviet agents and Australian citizens.

Mrs. Eve Bowring, 62-year-old operator of a 10,000-acre ranch near Merriman, was selected for the Senate seat vacant by the late Senator Dwight Griswold of Nebraska.

Douglas L. Hoge, Junior Chamber International president, back from world tour: "The activities of Senator McCarthy (R-Wis.) have all but ruined American prestige abroad."

Joseph W. McCarthy, U. S. Senator from Wisconsin: "I don't care how high or how low those are who scream at what we are doing. I don't intend to treat traitors like gentlemen."

Allen W. Dulles, director, Central Intelligence Agency: "We Americans publish a great deal in our scientific journals and in congressional hearings... We tell Russia too much."

Alexander Wiley, U. S. Senator from Wisconsin: "We are ready now as we have always been to co-operate on behalf of world peace."

Attorney General Brownell has announced that he would soon set up a Division of Internal Security in the Justice Department.

Anthony Eden, British Foreign Secretary: "Atomic power, in the last two or three years has meant, on the whole, a deterrent to war."

The best test of truth is the power of the thought to get itself accepted in the competition of the market. —O. W. Holmes

Along with the old shoes tied on the back of the newlywed's car was a sign which read: "Amateur Night."

United States exports continue to decline.

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### TOBACCO AND CANCER

A committee of the tobacco industry recently quoted 36 authorities, who denied any proof of a link between smoking and lung cancer. The American Cancer Society replied that while final proof had not been established, evidence justified a suspicion of such a link.

### WIRE-TAPPING

The House by a vote of 378-10 passed a bill that would permit the use of wire-tapped evidence in Federal court trials involving security, but place control in the hands of the Court and not in the Justice Department, as Attorney General Brownell had urged.

Sir Gladwyn Jebb, Britain's former United Nations delegate, on Red China's admission to the U.N.: "If the world organization is a 'sheer necessity' in President Eisenhower's words, and a 'heart desire' in Sir Winston Churchill's, then the representatives of all the main centers of powers in the world must be there."

Dr. Robert M. Myers, Kansas City, Mo., physician, who was formerly an ordained minister: "If we have any reason to exist as the American Academy of General Practice, I believe it is primarily to bring the very best medical care at the very lowest possible cost to the most number of patients."

Harry F. Byrd, U. S. Senator from Virginia, protesting recent tax cut: "Don't let us fool ourselves that we are reducing taxes when we are borrowing money to do it. We are merely postponing taxes."

Valentin Zorin, Russian radio commentator, on a broadcast picked up by U. S. government monitors: "Every new tractor in agriculture means the ruin of one (U. S.) farm family or five tenants."

F. B. I. Annual Report for 1953: "Every other person (49.3 per cent) arrested for burglary was under 18 years of age and one out of three under 16."

Dwight D. Eisenhower: "If this is not to be an age of atomic hysteria and horror, we must make it the age of international understanding and cooperative peace."

Richard M. Nixon, Vice-President: "If Indo-China falls, the chances for World War III have been terrifically increased."

Washington has reached an agreement with Iraq for supplying military aid to that Middle East nation.

Charles Halleck, House Majority Leader: "The country is within sight of a balanced budget."



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### BEGGING PAYS OFF

Newton, N. C. — A blind beggar told welfare department workers that he has a \$4,000 annual income from begging, which was considerably more than he could draw through any of the aid programs.

### FIREMAN SETS 5 FIRES

Sawara, Japan. — Fireman Kiochi Namiki, 21, was arrested recently by police who charged him with setting fire to five houses in the past three months and then returning with his fire engine to put them out.

Moscow's proposal of March 31 to end the "cold war" by forming a new European security organization and to join NATO itself was formally rejected by Washington.

President Eisenhower has released \$10,000,000 in disaster relief funds for the Southwestern dust bowl area.

### CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS TO: MAURINE YVONNE HARMON GREETING: You are commanded to appear and file a written answer to the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A.M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 14th day of June, A.D. 1954, at or before 10 o'clock A.M., before the Honorable 47th District Court of Randall County, at the Court House in Canyon, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 27th day of April, 1954. The file number of said suit being No. 2750. The names of the parties in said suit are: Joseph P. Harmon as Plaintiff, and Maurine Yvonne Harmon as Defendant.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to-wit: A suit for divorce wherein Joseph P. Harmon is plaintiff and Maurine Yvonne Harmon is defendant, setting out as grounds therefor cruel treatment and excesses which rendered their further living together insupportable. Plaintiff also seeks custody of the minor child born of such marriage, Dolus Jane Harmon, a girl 2½ years of age, and that the Court determine the interests of plaintiff and defendant in the community property, to-wit:

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Issued this the 27th day of April A.D. 1954.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Canyon, Texas, this the 27th day of April A. D., 1954.

ETHEL MULLINS, Clerk Court Randall County, Texas By Sue Lambert, Deputy (Seal)



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### DOOR TOO "HOT"

Steubenville, Ohio. — Thieves who wanted a door were not as particular as they might have been about the one they stole. It had lettering on one side, which read: "Police Headquarters." The door was returned to the City Hall from whence it had been stolen.

Resolution, National Catholic Family Life Conference: "Untold millions of married women are actually helping in the destruction of their homes they seek to serve by obtaining employment on the frequently false plea of economic need."

Bill: Will, better stop looking at the girls, now that you're married.

Will: Listen, brother, you can still look at a menu, even though you're on a diet.

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## Japanese Democracy Falling Apart, Ending Freedoms

By JOHN COLBY

TOKYO: Americans in Japan are viewing the destruction of a democracy, unhappily, but with a feeling that it is for the best. It was a labor of love when American political experts were given a free hand in converting a despotic, totalitarian police state into a model democracy. Japan was to have all of the freedoms, safeguards and democratic processes which it had taken us 150 years to work out.

Liberal observers were a bit taken aback to see communist speakers shouting a doctrine of hate and class warfare (in Japanese) while American MP's stood stolidly on either side, protecting their "freedom of speech." By the time General MacArthur ordered an abrupt halt to their activity the Reds were well on their way to taking over Japan.

The straw too much in this case was the June 6, 1950, riot in which five American soldiers were attacked. Following the crackdown Red leaders fled the country, and publication of Akahata (Red Flag), the Communist newspaper, was suspended until the end of the oc-

cupation.

Democracy has taken some strange bedfellows in its fight against Communism, and one of these is Shigeru Yoshida, since 1948 Japan's prime minister. Pre-war ambassador to England, he has parlayed a fluent knowledge of English and Anglo-American customs into a position of great confidence on the part of Western diplomats. Like Peter, he is viewed as the single Rock of Stability in postwar Japanese politics.

The Japanese legislature may well be compared to that of France, with numerous political parties and factions, unable to unite long enough to deal with even the commonest legislative problems. Until Yoshida became prime minister, there was a succession of weak, short-lived cabinets, and most western observers, feel that without Yoshida the same sort of chaos will return.

The price for political stability, however, is political freedom and in order to guarantee a stable government which is able to join the West in its fight against world communism, many of the democratic rights and constitutional safeguards have been sacrificed. Every member of the present Japanese cabinet has been named in bribery scandals, yet there have been no resignations and the Prime Minister chooses to ignore the whole matter. Respect for the legislature could not get any lower. Not only have the men themselves lost the public's confidence, but the concept of government by representation has been revealed as a farce so far as many Japanese are concerned.

The astounding situation exists today in which the only thing between many legislators and conviction as "super five-percenters" is the Prime Minister who by his executive control over law enforcement agencies has prevented arrest and trial.

The acid test of the Prime Minister's power came late in March when the Diet was called upon to vote upon the highly controversial and very important Education Bill. This bill prohibits all political activity by teachers, in school or out, except the act of voting.

It is supposedly an anti-communist measure, but strikes deep at the most basic democratic freedom, namely freedom of speech on the part of teachers. Though announced as a prime goal of the administration, the bill was very unpopular throughout the country and it is felt that in voting on the bill, the legislature had to choose between their constituents and the Prime Minister.

### PROFESSOR GIVEN CAR

Norman, Okla. — While it is not uncommon for football coaches at colleges and universities to be given cars, it is more unusual for a professor to be the recipient of such gifts. However, Dr. Victor E. Monnett, director of the Geology School at the University of Oklahoma, was recently surprised when a big, shiny Cadillac sedan was presented to him by former students from Oklahoma and Texas. Monnett has been teaching at the University since 1916.

### BUILDING SINKS, WOMAN HURT

Chicago. — Mrs. Anna Mae Lind say, 33, was injured and ten persons, including four children, were forced to flee from their homes when the wooden supports gave way beneath two two-story frame buildings causing the building to shift. The structure sank about eight feet and tilted sideways against the wall of another frame building.

Determine is first in Kentucky Derby. Hasty Road second.

## Just Between You, Me . . . and the Gatepost

By Lawrence Hunnicutt

Several people have mentioned the fact lately that the \$1 a month we pay for sewage and trash hauling is about the biggest \$1 value we get. Our alleys are a credit to our town and it is caused by the men who work for the city. It has been noticed in many instances that these men have picked up trash, rubbish, and debris that is scattered about in order to make the alleys look cleaner and nicer. Many towns and cities keep their front streets cleaned, others don't even bother with this, but few have alleys as nice and clean as ours.

A very worthwhile program is being planned by the local VFW club. It's the Memorial Day service honoring the Gold Star mothers of this area. The service is being conducted at the VFW grounds Sunday morning, May 30. The club is making an effort to send a personal invitation to every Gold Star mother in this area. If one is missed it is because her whereabouts and address were not known and she is cordially invited to attend the special services. Oh yes, almost forgot the most important part, there's to be a free breakfast just before the service for VFW members and the Gold Star mothers.

VFW Commander Boots McBroom has been diligently working to promote the services and has had the assistance of a couple of committees. The VFW members who are in charge of the ceremony are Cal Stephens, Jack Sperlock, Joe Batson, and Roy Price. The breakfast committee is made up of John Hunter, Felix Pierce, Billy Black, and Johnnie McBroom.

Luke Miller recently brushed up on his mechanical ability by working on a pick-up truck he bought. From the looks of the truck when he was half through with it, he did an excellent job. Some of the people at the Ford house helped Luke work on his Chevrolet pick-up and in exchange Luke put a Ford radiator ornament on his Chevrolet. He's just naturally a Ford man and even when he's driving a Chevrolet, wants to see something that reminds him of a Ford.

In less than one week it will be June. Vacation time means greater danger to those who visit the swimming pools. In the bigger towns of our nation the Red Cross throughout the Midwest will soon have 10 day schools preparing instructors on safety summer activities. The Red Cross will also have schools operating in August because safety instructors are needed throughout the entire summer season.

Isn't it nice that local streams have a nice supply of water once more. A lot of people are taking advantage of the full streams and fishing in them. Some people who haven't had the time to do any fishing in these streams are wondering if there are any fish being caught by the people fishing. There must be some people catching fish or they wouldn't just keep visiting the streams with their fishing equipment.

Did you ever stop to think that maybe the world isn't really growing worse it's only the newspaper coverage getting better to let you know what other people are doing.

The beautiful blonde looked across the dinner table at her escort who studied the dinner check with a furrowed brow. Finally she quipped, "What's the matter, dear, something I ate?"

Just because grandpa blazed the covered wagon trail is no reason for Junior to turn up the highway with a hot rod.

Recipe for success in dealing with people, make like you were cooking a green apple pie, use all the sugar you can find, then double it.

### DASH DASHED

Wellsville, N. Y. — When youngsters spied an egg hunt director slipping the golden egg to Patrolman Eugene Dash, they made a dash for Dash, knocked him to the ground and crushed the egg in his pocket. Dennis Winship, a kindergarten pupil, came up with the largest number of shell fragments and was declared the winner. Dash came up all bedraggled.

### GULPS PENCIL

Hartford, Conn. — Working on a fourth-grade arithmetic test, Michael Egan, 8, put his pencil in his mouth while he pondered a puzzler. Without thinking, he gulped it down his throat. It required surgery at St. Francis Hospital to get the pencil out of Michael's stomach.

### HABIT CAUSES HAVOC

Omaha, Neb. — Mr. and Mrs. Ervin R. Simon redecorated their basement and decided to change their furnace from oil to gas. However, their oil man came along with a tankful for another customer on the same street and, purely from force of habit, stopped at the Simon's home. Eighty gallons of fuel oil had poured over the Simon's new basement floor before Mrs. Simon ran out and put a stop to it.

In war it is not permitted to make two mistakes. —Plutarch

## Sports Quiz

1. What track star recently ran a mile in less than four minutes?
2. For whom does Billy Hoelt pitch?
3. In what year did the Red Sox last win a pennant?
4. Who is Notre Dame's football coach this year?
5. Who recently bettered his own shot-put record in the annual Drake Relays?

### THE ANSWERS:

1. Roger Bannister.
2. Detroit Tigers (AL).
3. 1946.
4. Terry Brennan.
5. Parry O'Brien.

### COMMUNIST PARTY

Attempts to outlaw the Communist Party in this country would only drive "the advance guard of the military power of Russia" underground and weaken our legal defense, according to Attorney General Herbert Brownell. He urged Congress to concentrate on strengthening existing laws and adding any new necessary ones.

### INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION

Industrial production dropped one per cent in March, and the gross national product was estimated to have fallen 1.2 per cent in the first three months of 1954. The gross national product, on an annual basis, had declined to \$359,000,000,000 compared with \$363,000,000,000 in the fourth quarter of 1953, and \$363,500,000,000 in the first quarter of 1953.

### NOT SO SURE

Portsmouth, Ohio.—Wesley Orr, 35, about to give his son a spanking, made the usual fatherly remark: "This is going to hurt me more than it will you." Moreover, that proved so, because Orr was taken to a hospital shortly afterward for treatment of a dislocated shoulder.

### 94-CARAT DIAMOND

Bloemfontein, S. Africa. — An African miner recently found a 94-carat diamond at the Jagersfontein mines here. It is a well-shaped stone, but slightly spotted. The miner who found it received a \$140 bonus.

William F. Knowland, U. S. Senator from California: "In this age of airpower and atomic weapons this country can no more return to isolation than an adult can return to childhood, regardless of how pleasant the recollection may be."

### SAFE NOT THEFT-PROOF

Milwaukee, Wis. — The "theft-proof" safe of the Power Oil Company here proved not so safe. A thief, using a fish hook on a string, fished out two envelopes, containing \$72, through a small opening in the top of the safe where money is inserted each night before closing.

### AMBULANCE HANDY

Winchester, Ind.—Earl Terhune, an ambulance attendant, started out with a hospital ambulance and came back lying on the stretcher—a patient with cuts and bruises. Terhune tried to close a side door and fell out.

### NAGS CAUSES THEFTS

New York. — Alexander P. Maran, 57, of Brooklyn, a State hospital accountant, admitted to police that he had embezzled \$267,000 over the last five years. He claims he had bad luck and lost it all on horse-race bets.

### HOOKED LOOT

Akron, Ohio. — A thief, using a blue gill hook, fished about \$400 from a safe at a local bakery company. The hook was lowered through a deposit slot and two bags of money hauled out. Police found the hook inside the slot.

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## Trustees Who Are Serving the Canyon Independent School District



The above group of men are elected to direct the affairs of the Canyon public schools. Their job just now contemplates the completion of a new school building to take care of the large increased number of students in the public schools. In the picture are: Bailey McCormick, Arthur C. Haley, Jr., Wilford Taylor, Jr., Supt. Joe Gibson, W. R. Crow, president of the board, Roy N. Byrd, Jr., Walter Graham, and Newton Crain, secretary of the board.

## Senator Lyndon Johnson May Be Democratic Nominee For President

By HARRY S. DENT

WASHINGTON: A new contender for the 1956 Democratic Party presidential nomination is emerging from cloak room chatter on Capitol Hill in the person of Senator Lyndon B. Johnson of Texas.

According to informed sources, the Senate minority leader is being talked of more and more as the Democratic Party's nominee in the 1956 elections. Johnson himself climaxed cloak room talk recently when he leveled a foreign policy blast at the Republican administration before a large gathering of top party leaders in Washington. The occasion was the annual Jefferson-Jackson Day dinner.

Prior to this, the minority leader had been cautious in his criticism of the administration which his own state helped elect. He had been sweating out a decision by Governor Allan Shivers whether to oppose him this summer for re-election.

Shivers, who supported Eisenhower in 1952, recently announced plans to seek re-election as governor, leaving the door for re-election wide open for Johnson.

Most observers now believe Johnson will be a serious challenger for the party nomination. Adlai Stevenson's recent kidney ailments may narrow his chances.

although a recent poll of senators revealed most favor him in 1956.

Some say Senator Stuart Symington's stock has dropped considerably as a possible nominee as a result of his part in the McCarthy-Stevens investigation. The Missouri junior senator, former Air Force Secretary, was once rated a major threat to Stevenson. Reports had linked him in with Senator Richard Russell's Southern bloc as a compromise candidate.

Other possible candidates have not figured as much in cloak room conversations. Senator Estes (Coonskin) Kefauver is expected to offer himself again, if re-elected to the Senate, as is Oklahoma's Senator Robert Kerr, the wealthy oil magnate. Russell has already counted himself out of the picture stating he will not seek the nomination again.

### AN UNUSUAL ACCIDENT

Dallas. — Sylvia Norman, 16, of Waco, had taken an airplane ride with her uncle in his light plane. As she climbed from the plane, she lost her balance and fell into the spinning propeller, which cut off her left hand at the wrist.

Many a man who wears clipon bow ties is completely trustworthy in other matters.

## Troop 66 Elects Officers; Plans Summer Camp

Troop 66 Boy Scouts met at a regular meeting Monday evening, May 17. James Young took charge and posted colors and the troop pledged allegiance to the flag.

This was parents' night and there were approximately 22 parents present.

Mr. Teague out of the Amarillo office was present. He took charge to explain about summer camp to the parents. After he explained all details, he turned the meeting to Mr. Donnell to present the time the camp would be held, and to choose the week this troop wanted. The dates were presented and the week of June 6 to 12 was chosen. A total of 12 boys who registered and paid their \$1 fee.

They were Howard Lisle, Bobby Hacker, Roy Harris, Eddie Pettitt, Bill Dreiss, Bobby Joyner, James Young, Mac Boswell, Alan Hanks, Larry Brotherton, Dudley Bayne, Jr., and Buzzie Barnhill. Several fathers said that unless something happened, they would spend either one day or one night, or both, during the week. They were Dudley Bayne, Hampton Lisle, Lawrence Brotherton, W. B. Harris, and F. M. Hacker.

Raymond Haddock, junior assist-

ant Scout leader, will be there to lead the boys.

The call for uniform inspection was made, and the fathers inspected the boys. There was a point system to go by; points given for general appearance, uniform, etc. The boys looked fine.

Pie and coffee were served, the pie was brought by the mothers. Everyone seemed to enjoy the eats. After refreshments had been served, an "Order of the Arrow" election was held to nominate two boys. James Young and Craig Hinger were nominated and one boy will receive the honor. It will be known at summer camp in August who was elected.

An election was held to elect the president, vice-president, secretary, and treasurer of the Parents-Scout Club. Hampton Lisle was elected president, Mrs. Otis Parker, vice-president, Oscar Hinger, secretary, and Mrs. W. B. Harris, treasurer.

Retreat of the flag was the closing ceremony.

Vice President Nixon predicted that Congress would enact a "substantial part" of President Eisenhower's legislative program.

Dr. Lewis M. Terman, psychologist: "The exceptionally bright student who is kept with his age group finds little to challenge his intelligence and all too often develops habits of laziness that later wreck his college career."

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A House committee has cautiously opened an inquiry into alleged "coddling" by the Army of big-name athletes.

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### "TALKING ROADS"

London — Britain may soon install "talking roads" to keep drivers going in the right direction. The idea was originated when a car, carrying instruments used in the detection of radio-activity, was being driven around the Birmingham area. Its crew was astonished to find that continuous signals were being recorded. It was found that the signals actually were being given by the road beneath the car—it had been dressed with phosphate slag for a test of durability and the slag is radio-active. Now scientists are working on a plan for dressing roads with patches of this material and equipping automobiles and trucks with detection equipment to pick up the signals.

### SCARED INTO SURRENDERING

Darwin, Australia—An aborigine killer, who had been a fugitive from justice for two years, is back in jail because he got mixed up in an Air Force exercise, which he mistook for a manhunt for him. He thought the droves of fighter planes, blazing away with machine guns and flights of bombers, showering high explosives, had been sent to scare him out of his hiding place in the remote wilds of northern Australia.

### TAKE YOUR CHOICE

"Where's Bill?" asked a neighbor boy.

"I'm not sure," replied Bill's mother. "If the ice is thick as he thinks it is, he's skating. If it's as thin as I think it is, he's swimming."

### SWEET AND LOW

Higgs — I asked the hotel manager if it was a lively place and he said things were always humming.

Biggs — Yes; he means the mosquitoes.

### THE SAME

Wilbur — I don't believe in using a long word when a short one does just as well.

Dean — Nor me either. For instance instead of saying "profiteer" I just say "robber."

### POOR OLD DAD AGAIN

At 4 a. m. the little boy woke up and asked his mother to tell him a story.

"Be quiet, honey," said the mother. "Pretty soon daddy will be home and tell us both a story."

### THE OLD DAYS

When the courting was done on the old hair-cloth sofa in the "settin'" room, divorce lawyers were kept busy as the clerks in a store that doesn't advertise.

### FROZEN MONEY

After noting the theft of \$100 in money from a Kansas grocer, we can understand now just what "cold cash" means. The grocer had secreted it in his refrigerator.

Charles E. Wilson, Secretary of Defense: "The increasing capacity of the United States Air Force to strike back against attack gives full warning to any aggressor of the possible consequences of rash action."

Robert B. Carney, Admiral, U. S. N., Chief of Naval Operations: "This nation's strategic desires include keeping Europe free and protecting our interests in the Far East."

Hubert M. Humphrey, U. S. Senator from Minnesota: "Every time Secretary of Agriculture Benson makes a speech, farm prices go down. In fact, he's the nation's most expensive speech-maker."

Arthur Connell, National Commander, American Legion: "Self-control, self-criticism and a remorseless urge for self-improvement are the indispensable virtues."

Education makes a people easy to lead, but difficult to drive; easy to govern, but impossible to enslave. —Henry Broughman.

The things taught in schools and colleges are not an education but the means of education. —R. W. Emerson.

"There aren't enough blondes to go around," says a writer who must be mistaken. We never knew a blonde who wouldn't go around.

## THE AMERICAN WAY



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### BY THE WAY

When you are discouraged because you are in a valley, remember that every valley reaches up to the hills.

If you wish to grow, spend your time in the company of those who see above the clouds.

When we fill our hours with regrets over the failures of yesterday, and with worries over the problems of tomorrow, we have no today in which to be thankful.

Strive always to be like a good watch — open face, busy hands, pure gold, well regulated, full of good works. Hold your self responsible for a higher standard than anyone else expects of you. —Henry Ward Beecher.

### SHE HAS ALL THE FUN

"Granma!"

"Yes, dear."

"Please get down on all fours. I'm making a picture of a sleigh ride. When you're tired you can sit up and be the sleigh, too."

### MIND YER TONGUE

"It's a genuine antique, sir."

"But you are asking a fearful price for it."

"Well, sir, look how wages and the cost of materials have gone up!"

Alfred M. Gruenther, U. S. General, supreme allied commander in Europe: "The Atlantic alliance has built up its strength to where it is a shield which would be a deterrent to a hasty, miscalculated or so-called accidental war."

### WASHINGTON AND

## "SMALL BUSINESS"

By C. WILSON HARDER

Along with all the other special weeks, there should be a "Write Kindly to Your Congressman Week," whether you vote for him or not. Just a friendly letter to bolster his morale.

Because despite all sneering directed at Congressmen's ability, practically without exception every member strives to do a conscientious job. But cardinal strategy of communists and their ilk is to create disrespect for democratic legislative bodies.

Many Congressmen often feel frustration over circumvention of Congressional intentions.

For example, Congress passed the "Buy American Act", intending government agencies should buy American products. Lately a great deal of equipment has been imported. The House Small Business Committee ably headed by Rep. Wm. S. Hill of Colorado made inquiries.

A bland reply from the Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Supply frankly admitted intent of "Buy American Act."

However, this official purred on, under "current interpretations" this does not apply when there is a 25% price differential between foreign goods including duty and domestic goods. No mention is made of who made the "current interpretation."

Thus, if U. S. manufacturers, who pay heavy taxes, pay social security taxes and a labor rate four to ten times higher than foreign suppliers, are not within 25% of the foreign price, they lose out. The excuse for this is that it is in line with "the object."

tives of the Mutual Security Program and U. S. Foreign Policy."

Senator Smith (N.J.) reports a mutual defense assistance agreement was signed in Tokyo covering not only defense, but agreements on agricultural commodities, economic arrangements, and investment guarantees.

Senator Smith asked State Department if these agreements are not actually treaties subject to Congressional approval.

State Dept. replied agreements were made on the basis of foreign aid legislation and therefore did not require treaties. Congress has nothing to do with them except vote required money.

Congress presumably will be asked to financially back up agreements on grounds world will consider U. S. welters if it doesn't.

Senator Langer reports that during the last six months of 1953 the nation imported 11,512,000 bushels of Canadian rye, equaling half of domestic production. As result rye prices dropped nearly \$1 per bushel and U. S. farmers have placed their rye under government loans. So reciprocal trade treaties in action again work against U. S. farmer.

Congress passed many acts to meet temporary situations. Foreign aid was to help the needy at war's end; reciprocal trade treaty legislation was passed with this goal in mind; the farm loan program was passed to help tide farmers over.

But net result is that government bureaus, have interpreted and used them as authority to carry on all sorts of worldwide boondoggling. So it is important for American people to let Congressmen know they support all action that will restore control of government to Congress.

### SAY HELLO FOR ME

"Boy," said a London visitor who had lost his way in the city, to a messenger. "I want to go to the bank."

"All right, guv'nor; don't be long."

### HOW SHE BRAGS!

"Bobby, I hope you didn't tell your daddy that you saw me kissing your sister Ethel last night?"

"I didn't have to, Ethel woke us all up after you'd gone, and told us herself."

America is not anything if it consists of each of us. It is something only if it consists of all of us; and it can consist of all of us only as our spirits are banded together in common enterprise of liberty, justice, and right. —Woodrow Wilson.

Fun is like insurance—the older you get, the more it costs you.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS  
TO: Myrtle M. Chiles, sometimes known as Mrs. C. E. Chiles, her heirs, assigns, and legal representatives, and her unknown heirs, assigns, and legal representatives, if any. Defendants, Greeting:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the Honorable District Court 47th Judicial District of Randall County at the Courthouse thereof, in Canyon, Texas, by filing a written answer at or before 10 o'clock a. m. of the first Monday next after the expiration of 42 days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 28th day of June, A. D. 1954, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 14th day of May, A. D. 1954, in this cause, numbered 2754 on the docket of said court and styled R. B. Elliott, Plaintiff, vs. Myrtle M. Chiles, sometimes known as Mrs. C. E. Chiles, her heirs, assigns, and legal representatives, and her unknown heirs, assigns, and legal representatives, if any, Defendants.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit:

Suit in Trespass to Try Title, and for damages, wherein the title to the East 50 feet of the Northwest one-fourth of Block One of the Heller Addition to the City of Canyon, Randall County, Texas, according to the map or plat of said Addition now of record in the Deed Records of Randall County, Texas is involved as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of its issuance it shall be returned unserved.

The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said court at Canyon, Texas, this 14th day of May, A. D. 1954.

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## Ray Burrus To Abilene Field And Track Meet

The record weights tosses will be sought by Ray Burrus, West Texas State's Border Conference champion, when he enters the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics track and field meet in Abilene June 4-5.

Burrus, a 6'6", 220-pound sophomore from Canyon, could match or break one of the N.A.I.A. meet's records in the shot, and might come close to matching the record discus throw. Standing shot-put record for N.A.I.A. is 50 feet 8½ inches, and Burrus heaved the shot 48 feet three inches for a first place in the Border Conference meet early in May.

The discus record will be harder to reach, though Burrus should take first place this year in Abilene. Record throw is 164 feet 11¾ inches. Burrus' toss at Tucson was 150 feet 6 inches, but his practice throws have approached the 160 foot mark.

Burrus will be the only West Texas State track man to enter the Abilene meet, although Phil Nichol, Amarillo freshman, may enter the tennis competition. Lee Roy Knott, Childress freshman broad jumper, was slated to go to Abilene, but a pulled leg muscle suffered during practice leaps here will keep him out of competition.

Track Coach Hatcher Brown and Athletic Director W. A. "Gus" Miller are planning to attend the meet and N.A.I.A. sessions slated concurrently.

## Softball League Gets Underway

With 85 boys signed up for the softball league organization for the summer is moving right along. In a few days workouts will start with Guy Harrison in charge. Dr. Dudley Moore, Jr., is chairman of the committee and is well pleased with progress being made.

Eight sponsors of teams have already been signed. By the middle of June it is expected that the league will be functioning in full swing. Boys from 9-12 are being organized into teams of one group. Those from 12-15 are making up another section.

Right now the need is most urgent for volunteers by adults to be managers of teams. If you are interested in this youth movement that is being promoted, call Dr. Moore and offer your service as manager.

## SUNNY HILL AND CENTERVIEW H. D. CLUBS HAVE JOINT MEET

Sunny Hill and Centerview Home Demonstration Clubs met jointly Friday afternoon, May 21, at 2:30 o'clock in the Fairview school.

Judge Roy Joe Stevens and Commissioner Glenn Dowlen spoke to the group on the duties of a county judge and county commissioner.

Gifts were presented to the guest speakers by the two clubs.

Cokes and cookies were served by the Sunny Hill Club. Eleven members of the visiting club were present with seven members from the home club.

## AMITY CLUB T OMEET

Amity Club meets Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Mary Burtz. All members are urged to be present.

Don Standley will leave Saturday for the University of Louisiana, Baton Rouge, where he is taking the course offered for bankers. He will attend for the third year, completing the course this year.

Miss Vergie Ruth Haines, director of the Community Center at Tyler, spent from Saturday evening until Monday night with her mother, Mrs. Gladys Haines.

## T'WON'T BE LONG NOW

"Do I bore you?" asked the mosquito politely, as he sank a deep shaft into the man's leg.

"Not at all!" replied the man, smashing the mosquito gently over the head with a book. "And by the way, how do I strike you?"

Pravda, Soviet official organ: "The ruling circles of the U.S.A. are assigning to (Senator) McCarthy the role of chief troubadour of American fascism."

The Carnegie Corporation has announced grants to 22 United States and British institutions, totaling \$1,521,000, to expand educational opportunities.

Adlai E. Stevenson declared that "for us to rattle bombs like sabres is a source of great anxiety to our allies."

White House proposals for Government incentives of 1,000,000 homes a year appeared likely to receive approval of Congress.

Harry F. Byrd, U. S. Senator from Virginia: "There will be no massive retaliation unless the Russians attack us."

Raymond Gram Swing, journalist: "I believe that happiness and suffering are the two sides of the coin of growth into truth."

The doctrine that all men are, in any sense, or have been, at any time, free and equal, is an utterly baseless fiction. —T. H. Huxley

## Save Money By Freezing Cheap Eggs

(Hints from H. D. Agent)

As egg prices drop, housewives can save money by freezing eggs. Frozen eggs will keep from nine to 12 months. Eggs are broken out of the shell for freezing.

Yolk and white may be frozen separately, or mixed uniformly. Stir whole eggs with a fork to mix yolk and white, but do not beat. Strain through a sieve. To a cup of whole eggs, add ONE of the following: ½ tablespoon sugar, ½ tablespoon corn syrup, ½ teaspoon salt.

To freeze yolks, stir, put through a sieve and add ONE of the following: 1 tablespoon sugar, or 1 tablespoon corn syrup, or ½ teaspoon salt. The recipe in which the eggs will be used determines which ingredients to add.

Foods and nutrition specialists of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service say egg whites should be put through a sieve without stirring or adding anything.

An ice cube tray, lined with Cellophane, makes a handy container to freeze eggs in small units. Force eggs out of dividers and store in freezer.

Thaw in cold running water, in refrigerator or at room temperature. Use thawed eggs within 24 hours. Do not refreeze.

For further information on freezing foods, see your local county home demonstration agent for bulletin B-175 "Frozen Foods."

## HE DIDN'T KNOW MULES

The old Negro drayman's mule had balked in the middle of the road, completely blocking traffic. After working and pleading in vain, the old fellow made his way to a telephone in a nearby farmhouse. Calling his employer in town, a few miles away, his conversation went this way:

"Boss, ol' Puddin'-Head done sulked g'in. Ye'suh, I's give 'im a whippin' — I's built a fire under 'im too."

"Yes, suh, I done tried tawkin' wid 'im 'bout ever-thin' us got in de barn."

"Dats' right I's twisted his ears till dey's knotted lak ribbons." "Nawsuh, I do lak you say — I ain't gonna twist his tail. A gent-mum who driv up an' got out to help me done tried dat. Dey's tuk him to de hospital. He looked lak a city-bawn gent-mum."

Dwayne Johnson, son of Mrs. H. H. Johnson, returned Wednesday night from France where he has been stationed for 19 months with the Air Force. Dwayne has received his discharge.

J. E. Elmer, and Mark Mickey, and Loyd Childers spent the weekend in Grants, N. M., with C. F. Mickey, state trapper for New Mexico.

Mrs. Rusty O'Donald has returned from Arlington, Va., where she attended the funeral of her sister, Mrs. Claire Lockwood Fontana.

## "TV" TEETH?

London — Parents have been warned by British dentists against a new child ailment: TV teeth. The dentists report said children have the habit of watching TV with their heads held in their hands. When they get excited, they press harder and harder and this, they said, may cause the teeth to go out of proper alignment.

## MATERNITY DEATHS DOWN

New York. — Women, even in their late 30's can now have babies more safely than women in their early 20's could a decade ago, according to statisticians of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company. The present rate is six deaths per 10,000 live births compared with 34 per 10,000 live births in 1940.

## ADULTS OUTNUMBER PUPILS

Caro, Mich. — About 495 adults participate in a night adult education program sponsored by the Caro High School. This is 70 more adults than children attending day classes at the school.

## NOT FOR SALE

Clerk: "No, madam, we haven't had any for a long time."

Manager (overhearing) — "Oh, yes; we have it, madam. I will send to the warehouse and have some brought in for you." (Aside to Clerk) "Never refuse anything. Send out for it."

As the lady went out laughing the manager demanded: "What did she say?"

Clerk: "She said we haven't had any rain lately."

## CORRECT

Teacher: "Mary, what important event took place in 1732?"

Mary: "George Washington was born."

Teacher: "Correct, Henry, what happened in 1742?"

Henry: "George was 10 years old."

## TOO FANCY TO USE

As we view them in the show-rooms, these new automobiles look too nice to take outdoors.

Austria estimates that the Russians cost her \$1,250,000,000.

# GIVE BELLAH'S A 30 DAY TRIAL AND COUNT THE SAVINGS

**BELLAH'S ARE NOW HAVING A SALE ON LOCKER BEEF BY THE HALF OR WHOLE — BUY NOW AND SAVE!**

**BELLAH'S "TAB'L" TRIMMED MEATS**

**BACON** Wilson's lb. **65c**

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**BELLAH'S WILL BE CLOSED MONDAY, MAY 31 IN OBSERVANCE OF MEMORIAL DAY**

**STARKIST GREEN LABEL FLAT CAN TUNA 33c**

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**21 OZ. JAR GRAPE JAM 35c**

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**Kitch-N-Kraft 300 Size BLACKEYED Peas 2 For 25c**

**Northern 80 Count NAPKINS 2 For 25c**

**Puffin — The Zip-Open-Can BISCUITS 2 For 25c**

**GOLD MEDAL 5 lb. Sack FLOUR 45c**

**2 lbs. Oleomargarine MEADOLAKE 55c**

**3 Pkgs. Dottie — Frozen Cookies \$1.00**

**5 For 19c Wrigley's Assorted GUM**

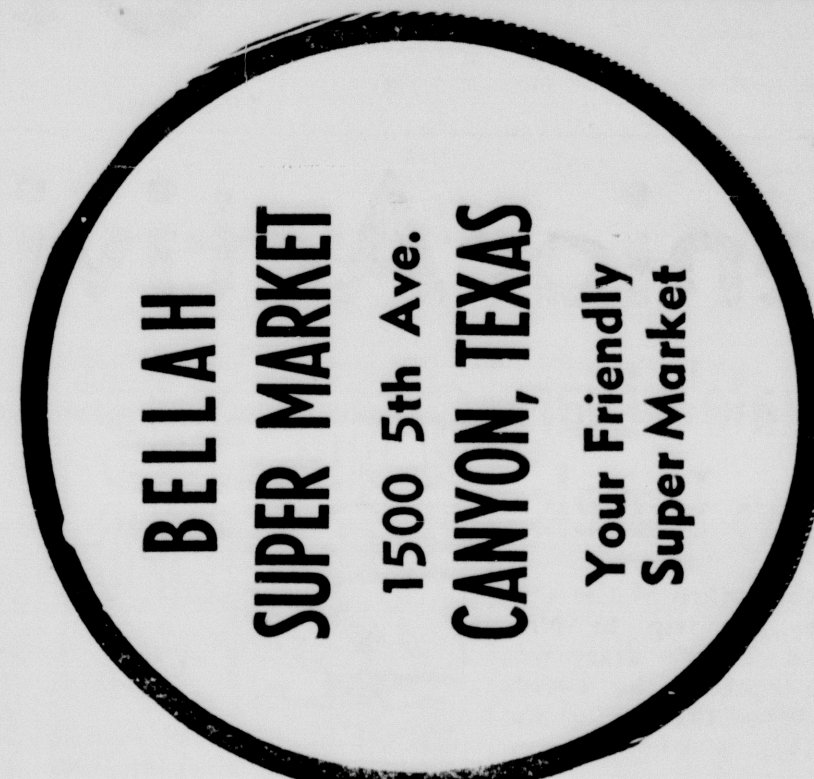
**Kraft — Cheese WHIZ 8 oz. Jar . . 29c 1 lb. Jar . . 49c**

**BELLAH'S GARDEN FRESH VEGETABLES**

**No. 1 Green lb. Cabbage 4c**

**PICK-O-MORN CELLO PKG. TOMATOES . . 17c**

**Kentucky Wonder—2 lbs. Green Beans 29c**





# The Eagle's Tale

28th Year

Published by The Canyon News for Canyon High School

Wednesday, May 26, 1954

## Senior Activities Topped by Commencement

### Graduate's Diary Reviews Travels

Upon the return of the seniors from the trip to New Orleans, a senior's diary was found to contain the events that happened throughout the week. This is what it contained:

May 11, Dear Diary: We left the fair city of Canyon at 4 p. m. and we are well on our way, New Orleans or Bust. We ate supper in the Lubbock bus station, and took off for the next major stop, Houston.

May 12: While we were at Houston we visited the historic San Jacinto monument, battle ground, and the famous battleship Texas. After leaving Houston we ate a marvelous lunch at John's Restaurant on the Causeway at Galveston, and rode the ferry across to Port Bolivar. Everyone is having a wonderful time and can hardly wait to reach our destination.

May 13: We arrived in New Orleans last night and everyone was ready to "hit the sack." Today we took a tour throughout the quaint city and visited Ursuline Avenue with its tall palm trees, City Park and its lagoons and Duelling Oaks, Delgado Museum, Metairie Cemetery, marble city above the ground, Country Club, Tulane and Loyola Universities, Audobon Park, the French Quarters, and many other interesting points. After lunch we boarded the steamer "President" and saw the second largest United States port, the wharves, levees, ocean liners, freighters, molasses plants, and Crescent City skyline. This evening we shopped and ate at Tony's Spaghetti House.

May 14: This morning we made a strolling tour through the French Quarters—Vieux Carre, visiting patios and restored French and Spanish homes, beautiful Jackson Square, the Cabildo and St. Louis Cathedral, Pirate's Alley, Madam John's Legacy, the Quadroon ballroom, and other quaint and historic places. At noon we had coffee and doughnuts at the Cafe de Mode in the old French Market.

For a few hours of swimming and relaxation we went to Lake Ponchartraine. Later in the afternoon some went shopping while others slept, packed, and visited. Tonight we ate in the exquisite Court of Two Sisters and revisited the French Quarters and Canal Street.

May 15: Today we traveled from New Orleans to Dallas. While at Baton Rouge, we visited the fabulous capital and ate lunch in Alexandria. We arrived in Dallas at the Tower Motel at 11 p. m. and swam before retiring.

May 16: After breakfast we had an inspirational devotional period before boarding the buses for home. Only a short stop was made for lunch in Vernon and another stop in Amarillo. There was a crowd waiting to meet us when we arrived and we were so glad to see them all.

I speak for the members of the class, Dear Diary, when I say how much we appreciated the fine cooperation that was prevalent between students, sponsors and our hosts.

### FTA HAS PICNIC

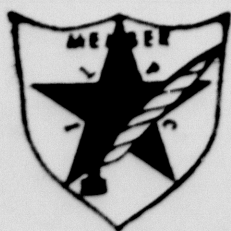
Approximately 30 members and guests attended the annual FTA picnic in Elwood park in Amarillo Friday, May 21. Mrs. T. E. Beard and R. C. Wells are the FTA sponsors. Making the trip with the FTA were Mrs. Cecil Simms, Mrs. Iverson Leake, and Mrs. R. C. Wells.

### The Eagle's Tale

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### STAFF

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Wells, kiddies, ole Cal went to a family reunion out at the fancy "Shipshape Cafe." We went in and the Head waiter Beckened to us to come forward. He looked like one of those Bauers and scrappers you hear about. Then here came this cute little girl with not much on and ask us if we wanted Tuck our hats. I wanted to stay and talk it over, but the rest of the family dragged me to the table.

The Porter came and ask us if we wanted Martinis or a Caskey of wine. We told him we wanted just water because we might wilt the Rose on the table. The waiter said that all the cooks were Masters of the culinary arts and they had a special Miller who ground all their flour and so we could have anything we had ever heard of.

I asked for Canning ham, Green salad, and Newberry pie. Every one else wanted baked White Haddock with Cloe slaw and Graham crackers. "Holt the onions on the fish and Childers because they don't like warm food," I said. The waiter eventually brought their food, and it smelled like a Barn hill. They Peppard it in an attempt to drown the smell.

All of a sudden we heard a commotion and squeaking out in the kitchen. It sounded like a Hunter Keeling Mickey Mouse. After a while the noise died down and they brought out my ham on a piece of Reynolds's Wrap. That was the Wors ham I ever ate. It rather looked like fresh mouse to me, but I didn't say anything. I had to ask for some Morris salad to fill me up.

Then came the Lowe blow!! We were all broke. The waiter told us that there were plenty of dishes so to go to the Briggs and start washing. He looked like a Simon Legree and we thought he would Neb let us go so we dropped some Brittle dishes. The waiter rushed in looking like a Maddux and told us to stick it together with some Gum. Well, several Winters later we got out and I don't think I'll ever go back. That Wat-son night!

It's too bad people like McBroom, Pennington, Riley, Vandergriff, Wilkerson, Williams, Bagley, Ruthart, Boling, Cabe, Cooper, Davis, Franklin, Greenfield, Greiner, Grigsby, Hawkins, and Johnson don't have names that can be used in stories like this.

All of the names of the 1954 seniors have been used in Cactus Cal this year. GOODBYE UNTIL NEXT YEAR!

### Senior Teens

Tennis is the hobby of the first senior of the week whose birthday is November 4. She weighs 120 pounds and is 5'3" tall. She has green eyes, short brown hair, and a witty personality. Her favorite subjects are English and chemistry. Baseball and basketball are her favorite sports. Throughout her high school years she has been active in band, basketball, tennis, the National Honor Society, and Science Club.

She has been a Halloween Queen candidate and has been band sweetheart. In essay writing she has received local, district, and regional recognition. Her ambition is to teach school and to write. She plans to study at West Texas State. A friend of this teen remarked, "She always has something witty and clever to say. She is also an intelligent girl and will be a success in life."

To be a dental hygienist is the ambition of the second senior teen. She is 5'6" tall and has black hair, brown eyes, and olive complexion, and a sweet disposition. Her birthday is March 15, and she was born in 1936. Her hobby and favorite subject is history. She sings alto in the choir and belongs to the FTA and FHA. Baseball and football are her favorite sports.

"You Belong To Me" is the favorite song of this teen. She plans to attend West Texas State College or the University of New Mexico next year. A friend of this teen sweetest girls I have ever known remarked, "She is one of the I have never known her not to lend a helping hand."

Consumer prices dropped two-tenths of 1 per cent between February and March.



MRS. CECIL SIMMS  
... Class Sponsor

### NHS Gets Annuals At Final Meeting

Members and probationary members of the National Honor Society received their 1954 edition of Soaring Wings at the final meeting May 18 in the high school cafeteria. An annual signing party followed the business meeting.

Charles Miller, president, was in charge of the program. Nora Dell Williams discussed "It's An Honor to be a Member of the National Honor Society." Bob Cole talked about "Points on which Membership is Based," which include scholarship, leadership, character, and service. Principal J. E. Miller spoke on "Setting Proper Goals for Oneself in Life." Refreshments were served.

### Moreman Serves On Commission

Mrs. Earline Moreman, third grade teacher in West Texas Elementary, was appointed by the State Commissioner of Education Dr. J. W. Edgar, of Austin, to serve on the Elementary Commission of Elementary Schools Curriculum which is composed of 12 members in Texas.

Mrs. Moreman was chosen because of her outstanding record as an elementary teacher. She is the one representative on the commission from the lower elementary grades.

The superintendents, supervisors, college people, and two classroom teachers who are on the commission meet in Austin. The commission is making a study of the elementary schools and a complete revision of the elementary curriculum will be made. Next scheduled meeting will be June 28.

### JOIN UP

All students who have had previous choral experience are urged to join the 1954-55 choir and those who have not are urged to join a special ensemble or girl's chorus.

Walter Reuther, president, United Auto Workers: "As long as there is imbalance of productive power and purchasing power, we are in trouble."



RECEIVING SPECIAL HONORS in a recent meeting of the senior class were these eight seniors. They are: seated, left to right, Billene Childers, class poet; Frances Pennington, most beautiful; Roberta Grigsby and Joe White, class historians; standing are Ted Briggs, class prophet; Don Beck, best athlete; Jerry Martin, most likely to succeed; and Kerry Franklin, most handsome. The sponsors are Mrs. Cecil Simms and Eddie Conner.

### Dedicate Annual To Mrs. Sanders

Dedicated to Mrs. Dan Sanders, one of Canyon High's very efficient teachers who is an inspiration to all students, was the '54 Soaring Wings, yearbook of Canyon High School.

National Honor Society members were issued annuals the night of May 18. However, the other students and faculty members received their annuals May 12. The first five minutes of each class period were set aside for the signing of yearbooks.

The yearbooks have red and silver backs with "Soaring Wings 1954" written in red letters across the front.

### Dorothy Neblett Is Named DAR Citizen

In the Awards Assembly held last week Principal J. E. Miller presented Dorothy Neblett with the DAR Citizenship award. This award is presented annually to an outstanding senior girl by the Daughters of the American Revolution, and is one of the highest tributes paid to the selected girl. Recipient of the award last year was Miss Sarah Jane Colwell, who is now enrolled in West Texas State College.

### JUNIOR CLASS PICNIC

Junior class enjoyed a picnic May 17 at the B. E. McCormick farm home. Lively games were played. Each class member brought a sack lunch and the class furnished cokes. Room mothers served home-made ice cream and cake. Class sponsors are Mrs. Sanders and Mr. Carroll.



EDDIE CONNER  
... Class Sponsor

### Walker Receives Prize in Contest

"Only fools take chances, be cautious with fire" was the fire prevention slogan on the poster which won Virginia Walker, CHS freshman, fourth place in the annual fire prevention poster contest for Texas schools. Virginia will receive a check for \$4 from Cravens, Dargan, and Company.

Virginia describes the poster as follows: "I chose a fool to illustrate the poster. His expression reminded me of a complete fool. In his hands he held a fool's scepter with the very image of his countenance on its homely face. The poster was graded down from a very light blue to a darker blue."

Mayla Atkinson and Don Ray received honorable mention for their fire prevention posters in the annual contest.

Virginia is a member of the Art 1 class directed by Miss Claudia Neelley.

### BACCALAUREATE BAND

A number of members in the band have composed an orchestra to play for the baccalaureate service held Sunday. This group was composed of 20 members playing the orchestra parts such as cello, played by bass clarinets and violins and violas substituted with clarinets. The musicians practiced during band period.

The choir in the meantime was learning "Ye Watchers and Ye Holy Ones" and "Ours is the World" to be presented tomorrow night.

### Atkinson, Rogers To Address Class

Commencement sermon for the 1954 graduating class of Canyon High School was given Sunday evening in the college auditorium. Commencement exercises will be held Thursday evening at 8:15 in the college auditorium.

The program consisted of the musical prelude and processional played by the orchestra, directed by Herman Demus, and the invocation by Rev. Lester L. Hill, pastor of the First Methodist Church. CHS choir, directed by Miss Ada V. Clark, sang "Ours is the World" and "Ye Watchers and Ye Holy Ones." Rev. Win Matsler, pastor of the First Christian Church, gave the commencement prayer, and Superintendent Joe A. Gibson gave the announcements. Commencement sermon was delivered by Rev. Strauss Atkinson, pastor of the First Baptist Church, and Joe F. Watson, minister of the Central Church of Christ, gave the benediction.

Commencement exercises will be held Thursday night in the college auditorium at 8:15. The program will consist of the musical prelude and processional, played by Alice Simms and Diane Prichard, and the invocation by Rev. Strauss Atkinson, pastor of the First Baptist Church. Senior girls sextet will sing "Calm as the Night," and the honorable Walter Rogers, congressman of the 18th Congressional District of Texas, will give the address. Principal J. E. Miller will give the presentation of class, and Superintendent Joe A. Gibson and W. R. Crow, president of the school board, will present the diplomas. Principal Miller will present the announcement of honors, and Rev. A. J. Pettit, pastor of Assembly of God Church, will pronounce the benediction.

### TO BOY'S STATE

Selected to go to Lone Star Boy's State this year were Ken Kuykendall and Jack McCormick, juniors, who were chosen for their leadership, ability, citizenship, and scholastic standing. It will be held June 17-23 at Texas School for the Deaf in Austin. The trip is sponsored by the Lions Club, Rotary Club, and American Legion.

Be proud of Canyon—Clean Up; Paint Up; Modernize!

## Awards Climax Final Assembly

On Thursday, May 20, CHS had the annual Awards Assembly, in which many awards are presented for outstanding student work.

Miss Marilyn A. Payne started the assembly with an award to Faye Lowrey for being able to speak and write the Spanish language accurately. Miss Payne then gave three awards for journalism. The first one, for having an outstanding journalistic style of writing, went to Joe Dickerson. The second one, for having outstanding service, dependability, and leadership, went to David Miller. The third, the Journeyman's Award, given to journalists who take journalism for two years and who are outstanding, was given to Frances Pennington.

Miss Ada V. Clark then took charge of the program and gave recognition to all the piano players who placed in Interscholastic League piano contest. Then she gave a scholarship to two summer music schools to Ray Green who was a member of the All-State Choir. Also she presented a certificate to Ann Holt which would allow her to be admitted in almost any music school she desires to attend.

Coach Guy T. Harrison then took charge and presented the trophy for the district track championship to the school. Also he gave recognition to the track boys that lettered.

Mrs. Cecil Simms gave the English awards for this year. They went to Charles Neblett, Marcus Robinson, Christina Sykes, and Theresa Mickey, freshmen; Nancy Kay Tomlinson, Diane Prichard, Virginia Leake, and Ruby Yarbrough, sophomores; David Miller, Nancy Adcock, and Lucy Hollabagh, juniors; Billie Graham, Ann Holt, and Nora Dell Williams, seniors.

Miss Claudia Neelley, art instructor, gave recognition to many art students. Among these were: Jerry Martin, art editor of the annual; Sue Keeling, layout editor of the

annual; and all the students in art who helped with the annual. Virginia Walker was then given recognition for winning fourth in the state contest with her fire prevention poster; Don Ray was given recognition for his lettering and drawing; and Barbara Shepard and Virginia Walker for their ceramics.

### TV Jamboree Starlet Feature

The seniors presented their version of a television program to the student body of CHS in the assembly Monday, May 24.

The class history was given by Wanette Green and the class will by Raymond Haddock and Charles Miller. Jo Ann Mickey and Martha McBroom were next on the program with the class prophecy. The great Hugarache, Hugh Greiner, of Canyon High School, honored the assembly with a few selections at the piano.

Music was presented to the audience by the Senior Swingband, consisting of Jo Ann Mickey, Edward Wells, Ann Holt, and Jerry Martin. Rough and ready wrestlers Joe Britt and Jimmy Simon gave their interpretation of a "free-for-all."

Wanette Green, Charles Morris, Martha McBroom, and Ted Lowe were next on the agenda for the afternoon with "Can You Top This?" A favorite of all, "Just Plain Billy," starring Billie Graham, thrilled the students. A trio made up of Billene Childers, Dorothy Neblett, and La Nelle Gum sang several songs for the assembly. Throughout the program various commercials were given by different members of the senior class.

Senior sponsors this year were Mrs. Cecil Simms and Eddie Conner.

Jack McCormick, president of the junior class, then gave the school the plaque given to the junior class for its work on the magazine sales.

Mrs. Joe Findley gave the Bausch and Lomb Science award to Joe Watson for having the highest average in science for his four years in high school.

T. L. Devin then gave six awards from the FFA Foundation. They went to Arvie Marshall, farm safety; Jack McCormick, farm electrification; Larry Hungate, farm mechanics; Gilbert Irlbeck, soil and water management; Joe Carver, state dairy farmer; and Foster Parker, star chapter farmer.

Principal J. E. Miller presented Dorothy Neblett the DAR Citizenship Award.

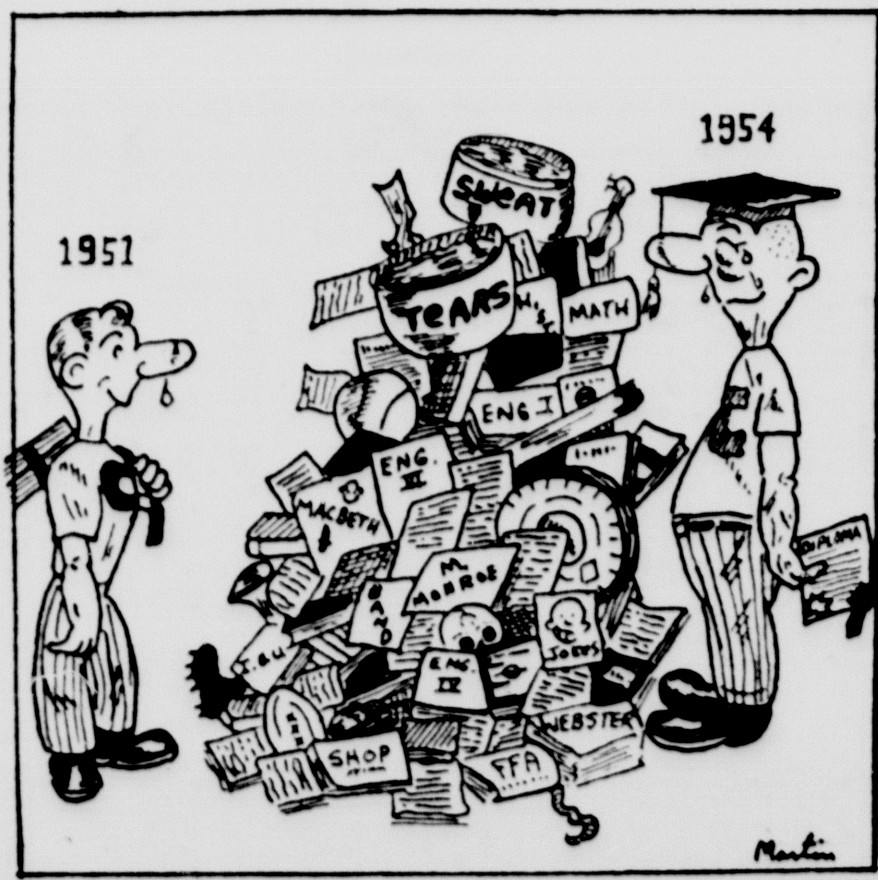
### '55 Cheerleaders Elected by Students

Faye Lowrey and Jearlyn Partridge of the sophomore class were elected by the Canyon High School student body as cheerleaders for next year, in a meeting held on Wednesday, May 19. Jacky Matsler, also a member of the sophomore class, was elected runner-up and if anything should happen that either one of those elected could not fulfill that position Jacky would take her place.

Jearlyn Partridge was born October 23, 1938; she is 5'7 1/2" tall and weighs 108 pounds. Her charming smile and witty remarks highlight her personality. She has green eyes and sparkling brown hair. To become a secretary is her ambition. In the literary field The Edge of Time is her favorite novel. Basketball, volleyball, and swimming are her favorite sports. "P. S. I Love You" is the song best liked by Jearlyn. Her parents and Rosalie Frische are favorite people of hers.

Faye Lowrey is a newcomer to Canyon High School; she moved (Continued on Page 7)

### REAL CEREAL by Martin



"The Long Trail"





### Canyon High Seniors

Top row: left to right: Mrs. Cecil Simms and Mr. Eddie Conner, sponsors, Ed Wells, Dorothy Neblett, Kerry Franklin, Barbara Bagley, and Hugh Greiner. Second row: Jimmie Simon, Ann Holt, Bob Cole, Billie Graham, Charlie Morris, Edwina Caskey, and Raymond Maddock. Third row: Nancy Riley, Don Wells, Rae June Cobb, Alan Ray Hawkins, Shirley Peppard, Charles Miller and Janelle Cunningham. Fourth row: Harold Newberry, Arlene Johnson, Jane Rose Norman, Tuck, Jean Masters, Barbara Winters, and Ted Briggs. Fifth row: Lila Mae Hunter, Mary Alice Bauer, Ray Reynolds, La Nell Gum, Wilma Cooper, Charles Baling, and Nora Dell Williams. Sixth row: Roberta Grigsby, Frances Pennington, Don Beck, Pat Vandergriff, Jane Worsham, Lonnie Davis, and Sue Keeling. Seventh row: Joe White, Wilda Faye Greenfield, Louise Hunter, George Greiner, Wanda Green, Ted Lowe, and Arlen Ruthart. Eighth row: Billene Childers, Larry Porter, Martha McBroom, Joe Watson, Dor, Bourn Mullican, J. T. Maddux, and Jerry Martin. Ninth row: Camilla Davis, Jo Ann Mickey, Bob Wilkinson, and Anne Barnhill.

—Photos by Britain



By LYNDON B. JOHNSON  
U. S. Senator

#### Rain in Texas

When I had the pleasure of spending a week-end in Texas recently, I was overjoyed to find that practically every section of the State has now been blessed with rain. Some areas received the first abundant rainfall they have had in several years.

Some weeks ago I expressed the hope, based on information from the Weather Bureau, that the Texas drought would shortly be broken. That has happened. All of us are thankful.

But the relief brought by the rain must not blind us to the fact that Texas still has a water problem of major magnitude.

#### Action on Water

Some of the friends whom I have discussed this matter say, "Everybody is talking about water. Is anybody actually doing anything? If so, what?"

It is a fair question. I am happy to report that from the Federal angle — with which I, as your Senator, am concerned — a great deal is being done and a great deal is being planned. I want to tell you about some of these activities.

#### Reservoir Projects

Throughout Texas, Congress has authorized 20 major reservoir projects for construction by the Army Corps of Engineers.

Each of these projects was conceived as part of an overall plan to benefit the entire river basin in which it is located. Harnessed floodwaters stored in these reservoirs will be made available for industrial, agricultural, and municipal use.

These reservoir projects form an important part of the long-range solution to the Texas water problem.

#### Status of Dams

Thirteen of the 20 authorized dams have been completed or are under construction. They include Addicks Dam and Barker Dam in the Buffalo Bayou Watershed; Belton Dam and Reservoir; Benbrook Dam, near Fort Worth; one dam of four authorized on the Neches and Angelina Rivers basin; Garza-Little Elm, between Dallas and Denton; Grapevine Dam; Hords Creek Dam and Reservoir, near Coleman; Lavon Dam, in North Texas, on the East Fork of the Trinity; San Angelo Dam; Texarkana Dam and Reservoir; Lake Texoma; Whitney Dam and Reservoir.

These 13 projects, when all are complete, will have a total controlled water storage capacity of 14,474,500 acre-feet. Their drainage area is 77,172 square miles.

#### Other Projects

Seven other projects in Texas have been authorized by Congress. Among them are three additional dams in the Neches-Angelina Rivers Watershed. The list also includes Canyon Dam and Reservoir, on the Guadalupe River; Lake Brownwood Dam and Reservoir; White Oaks Dam and Reservoir, near Houston; Ferrells Bridge Dam and Reservoir, in East Texas, near Jefferson.

Hardly a week goes by that I do not take some action which I hope will help get these authorized projects past the planning stage and construction started. I know how important they are not only to the areas immediately affected but to the State as a whole.

#### Future Projects

In addition, I am pressing for authorization of other needed flood control and water conservation projects in Texas.

A few days ago, for example, I appeared with several Waco citizens before the Flood Control Subcommittee of the House Public Works Committee to urge authorization of a dam on the Bosque River, near Waco. This is one of several recommended multiple-purpose reservoir projects for flood control and allied purposes on the Brazos River and its tributaries.

This project has been given No. 1 priority by the Corps of Engineers. I am hopeful that we can get authorization for it.

#### Canadian River

For several years I have worked hard on behalf of the Canadian River Project. We obtained authorization in 1950 for this project, which will supply municipal and industrial water to 11 cities in the High Plains region of Texas.

The State Legislature last year authorized formation of the Canadian River Municipal Water Authority. The Authority is exploring every possibility of obtaining private financing for construction of the project.

The proposed reservoir will cover 26,300 acres.

#### Upstream Water Control

Little dams as well as big dams are necessary. I am continuing to seek action on legislation which would encourage the building of small, upstream dams.

These dams would trap water near where it falls. They would give protection against the flash floods which do so much damage and carry away so much of our

valuable topsoil.

#### Many-Sided Problem

The problem is one that has many angles. It is one to which I have given attention throughout my years as a public official.

One of the first things I did when I entered the Senate in 1949 was to ask the Bureau of Reclamation to make an appraisal of the overall water supply problem of Texas. The Bureau's report of its findings, released last year, helped to focus attention on the necessity of doing something to assure an adequate and permanent water supply in the State.

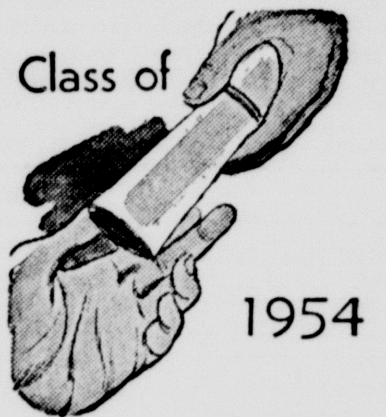
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## Big Game Trophies



Big game hunters, Mr. and Mrs. Newton Harrell, Claude, display some of the trophies they brought back from their African safari two years ago. More than two dozen of their mounted heads and skins are now being exhibited at the Panhandle-Plains Historical Museum. Mr. Harrell is a member of the Board of Regents of Texas State Teachers Colleges.

## NEWS LETTER

FROM CONGRESSMAN WALTER ROGERS  
OF THE 18th CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

I saw an 1854 map of Texas this morning, and it was very interesting.

At that time the entire Panhandle of Texas was a part of Bexar County. Bexar County is the county in which San Antonio is located. In 1854 it took in almost the entire western and northwestern part of the state.

Immediately west of San Antonio there was a large tract comprising Uvalde County. The counties in Northeast Texas were all pretty well fixed, although there were very few towns. The major railroad came in close to Texarkana and swung south. It came close to Quitman, Texas, and very near what was then Waco Village. It extended on in a westerly direction and in the vicinity of El Paso.

There were hardly any towns mentioned on the map west of Waco Village. Just think of the tremendous change that has taken place in 100 years in our own backyard. This is just a few years over the average lifetime of our citizens. If one thinks we are not living in a changing world, he has but to take one of these maps and carry it with him on a trip to Texas.

Speaking of history, I was in Montgomery, Alabama, for a few hours the other day. You will remember that this was the first capital of the Confederacy. However, we know that the people there hold no grudges, because on top of the railroad station is a tremendous electric sign which reads, "Union Station." I am sure that this structure must have been built after the unpleasantness of the 1860s, as I doubt if it would have survived.

Uncle Sam, Trustee  
Did you know that Uncle Sam



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selves, the legislation being presented to Congress seems to be doing just the contrary.

We are discussing a bill that creates another advisory council to advise with the President. It seems that each day brings up a suggestion for some other type of council, board, bureau, agency, or committee to advise some department, agency, committee, board, bureau or council, and the confusion is increasing. It will not be long until there will have to be a separate investigating committee set up to determine who is to advise who as to what, who is to take the advice, and most important, who is to pay for it.

We already know the answer to the last one of these items, that is, the one as to who is going to pay for it. Too bad we can't do away with all of the rest of the items, together with all of these proposed councils, committees, departments and agencies that furnish advice on subjects that have been covered from A to Z many times during your lifetime and mine.

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ments. Stevens Floral. 711

## WAYSIDE H. D. CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. BESSIE LANE

The Wayside Home Demonstration Club met with Mrs. Bessie Lane May 20 at 2:30 p. m. The president called the meeting to order; the secretary read the minutes of the last meeting and called the roll. Subject was eliminating household pests. Discussions by Mrs. A. J. Newsom and Mrs. E. J. Mahler were very instructive.

Mrs. Floyd Adams gave the report of the council meeting held at Wayside May 17. The county home demonstration clubs have made plans for the annual club camp to be held at Fairview, west of Claude. It was announced there would be a special feature class on hat making by the agent, Jo Ann Bannister, June 17 at the community home in Claude. Anyone interested may see Mrs. Leroy Roberts as to what materials to take to work with.

Those enjoying refreshments were Mesdames Leroy Roberts, W. Heisler, Floyd Adams, W. R. Franklin, Stanley Hill, John Hill, Henry Hamblen, E. J. Mahler, C. D. Rogers and daughter, Paul Wetzel and daughter, A. J. Newsom and daughter, Aaron Cummins and three children, Amanda Adams, and a visitor, Mrs. Lucille Roberts, of California.

Next meeting will be a sunrise breakfast with Mrs. E. J. Mahler June 3. Group singing led by Mrs. Stanley Hill will be enjoyed.

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## MRS. FLYNN WINTERS HOSTESS TO PARK H. D. CLUB MEETING

Thursday afternoon, May 20, Mrs. Flynn Winters was hostess to the Park Home Demonstration Club.

Roll call was answered with "Give a Club Program Idea." After the business meeting, Judge Roy Joe Stevens gave an interesting and informative talk on the duties of the county judge and information on the expressway.

Mrs. Owen Turpin and Mrs. Clarence Winters of Amarillo and Mrs. Lon Fanning were visitors. Members present were Mesdames Nell Sheets, L. W. Winters, Les Raymond, Herrick Simon, Art McCandless, Frank Simon, and the hostess.

An upholstery course will be started at the next meeting which will be at the home of Mrs. Leonard Winters.

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## 1925 BRIDGE CLUB MEETS IN HOME OF MRS. J. J. WALKER

On Wednesday afternoon, May 19, members and guests of the 1925 Bridge Club met in the home of Mrs. J. J. Walker for their regular afternoon of games.

Beautiful flowers were used to decorate the entertainment rooms.

At the tea hour a salad course with iced tea was served to Mesdames B. A. Masters, Hatcher Brown, Wilford Taylor, Jr., Milton Morris, Ray McReynolds, John Williams, Newton Crain, I. F. SoRelle, J. D. Barker, Tom Knighton, R. A. Hodges, Iverson Leake, John Gillis, Glenn Dowlen, A. K. Knott, and Madison Daugherty.

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## SATISFIED PASSENGERS

"All this talk about back seat drivers is bunk. I've driven a car for ten years and I've never had a word from behind!" "What sort of a car?" "A hearse."

## AMAZING

Professor: "What happens when the human body is immersed in water?" Student: "The telephone rings."

## SWEETEST MUSIC ON EARTH

Nature arranges things nicely — she always gives us the kind of voice that our own ears enjoy hearing.

There is no future in any job. It's in the man who holds the job.

## Latest Rumors From Political Front of Nation

President Eisenhower is convinced from talks with leaders in Congress that he can get quick approval for jumping into the war in Indo-China once he asks that approval.

Admiral Arthur Radford, Chairman of the U. S. Joint Chiefs of Staff, is pressing hard for strong U. S. action to keep Communists from making further gains in Indo-China. John Foster Dulles, Secretary of State, is not so convinced that this country should move into that war unless there is more evidence that the people of that area want it.

Mr. Eisenhower is not getting assurances from Democrats that they will avoid raising the war issue in November if Americans are sent to fight in Indo-China. Democrats remind the President of Republican attacks on Democrats in 1952, based upon U. S. involvement in the Korean war.

Ho Chi Minh, the Communist leader in Indo-China, is upsetting French strategy and American plans by showing an intention to go on fighting even in the rain. The idea had been that the Communists this year, as in the past, would hole up for five months while it rained. Now the intelligence officers are alarmed by signs that they may be wrong.

Sir Winston Churchill, Britain's Prime Minister, has been flirting with India's Nehru. His idea is that Britain will seek to retain influence with "neutrals" in Asia while the U. S. goes about organizing fighting allies.

David Bruce, U. S. envoy to the European Coal and Steel Community, is warning President Eisenhower that frantic moves to try to save Indo-China might cost U. S. its position in Europe, where the European Army idea is on the rocks and Germans are restive at continued delays in restoring sovereignty to them.

Harold Talbot, Air Force Secretary, is letting it be known that Russia has displayed both in intercontinental jet bomber, like this country's new B-52, and a medium jet bomber, comparable to the B-47, on which the main striking power of this country's Air Force now rests.

Harry Truman, when President, entered into a secret deal with the British Government promising a definite amount of dollar aid each year, without informing Congress of the deal. When Congress failed to provide specific funds to meet the commitment a year ago, funds had to be diverted from other programs to make good on the deal with Britain.

Robert Stevens, Secretary of the Army, has indicated to friends that he feels Charles E. Wilson, Defense Secretary, should have given him more open and aggressive backing in his dispute with Senator Joseph McCarthy. Secretary Stevens is pictured as looking forward to the day when he can get back to private life.

Herbert Brownell, Attorney General, is shaping White House strategy in handling problems that grow out of the investigation by Congress to determine if undue pressure was exerted to get favors for Private G. David Schine.

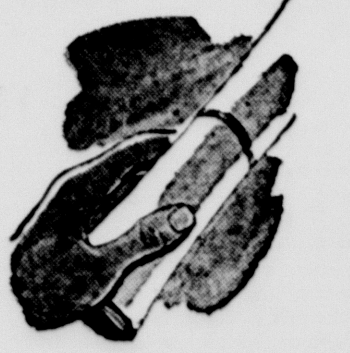
Stuart Symington, Missouri Senator, is told by some friends that his stature as a possible Democratic nominee for the Presidency



Grads of 1954

Good luck and

Congratulations



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## Abilene Pastor To Preach Sunday



REV. W. E. PETERSON

Rev. Lester L. Hill, pastor of the Methodist Church, states that Rev. W. E. Peterson, pastor of the Sweetwater Methodist Church, will preach at the Canyon Methodist Church next Sunday morning and will teach the men's class during the Sunday School period preceding the service.

Rev. Peterson is one of the ablest pastors of the conference and Rev. Hill is gratified that he will fill the local pulpit during the Northwest Texas Conference which will convene in Amarillo today.

Assignments for the coming year will be read Sunday evening by Bishop Martin. "I hope that I shall be returned as pastor of the local church for the coming year," stated Rev. Hill Monday.

has been improved by his television appearance as a committee member investigating the McCarthy-Pentagon row. Other friends are not so sure.

President Eisenhower finds that he can bring many Republican political leaders around to his viewpoint on various issues just by dropping another hint that he is looking forward to the day in 1957 when he can go to live in the house he is remodeling on his Pennsylvania farm. The thought that Mr. Eisenhower might not accept a 1956 draft for a second nomination tends to jolt many Republicans.

Lewis Strauss, Chairman of the Atomic Energy Commission, is going to get increased powers at the expense of other members of that Commission. The trend is toward closer central direction of the atomic program, a trend that President Eisenhower favors. There is opposition, however, among Democrats in Congress.

George Humphrey, Secretary of the Treasury, is getting assurance

from leaders in Congress that a tax-revision bill will be enacted into law that makes no increase in personal exemptions. The tax bill, in final form, is expected to be about as Secretary Humphrey wants it. Mildness of the business dip is weakening pressure for higher exemptions.

Earl Warren, Chief Justice of the United States, is credited with working a near miracle when he convinced the eight Associate Justices that there should be a single opinion, with no dissents and no concurring opinions, when school segregation was held unconstitutional.

## ALL NET

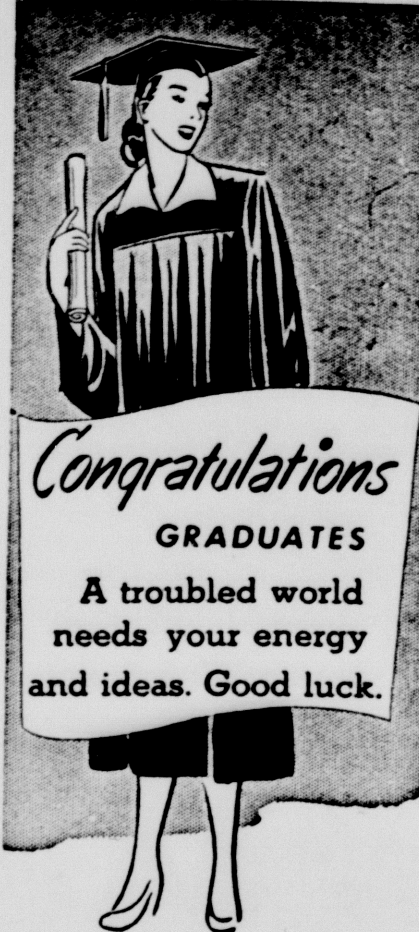
No one in the courtroom seemed to know just what the case was about. The lawyers themselves were mixed up. Then an important witness was presently asked to tell the court the total of his gross income. He refused; the counsel appealed to the judge. "You must answer the question," said the judge sternly.

The witness fidgeted about, and then burst out: "But . . . but, your honor, I have no gross income! I'm a fisherman, and it's all net."

## NOT MATERIAL

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Roofing and siding is packed in bundles and the number of bundles required to cover a square depends on the grade and type considered.

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You should know the brand, grade and weight of material involved.

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## Freshman Girls Give Style Show



Vanda Latham and Carolyn Davis look on as Theresa Mickey explains a point. Each girl made and modeled the garment she is wearing at the style show. These were in the group to be worn to a morning brunch or tea.

Freshman students of the senior high school homemaking department presented garments they had made the last six weeks at a style show Thursday afternoon in the Canyon High School auditorium.

Miss Ada V. Clark's chorus presented several numbers.

Judy Newman, freshman student, was commentator, giving each girl's name and the occasion on which the garment might be worn as each student modeled the garment she had made.

Garments of inexpensive cotton materials, dressed up or down to suit the occasion—school, church, town, or informal socials—were modeled by the following girls: Jenice Anthony, red print; Jackie Barnard, polka dot print; Mary Sue Bolton, beige print; Francis Boyd, baby blue checked; Avalon Brown,

red twistline with a striped cummerbund; Arlene Bagley, navy; Theresa Mickey, steel gray.

Florence Clements, green print combined with a solid color; Norma Glenn, blue; Martha Harding, two shades of pink; Almeta Howard, brown, green polka dot; Karel Johnson, glazed cotton in baby blue.

Betty Mariner, blue print; Annette Meyers, glazed green print; Judy Newman, green with black print; La Verne Riley, rose and print; Peggy Seymour, red print; Barbara Shepard, mustard and print combination; Christina Sikes, watermelon pink glazed solid; Dollie Stewart, blue print.

Sue Reynolds, glazed cotton in blue; Lynn Atkinson, navy; Rose Barron, glazed blue denim with red bandana belt and tie; Nelda Coffee, soft pink; Doris Cooper,

lilac with purple; Sharon Duncan, navy and white print; Winnifred Fain, lilac baby checks; Annie Jean Howard, gray and red polka dot.

Mary Ann Irlbeck, blue; Vanda Latham, black and white; Debra McDonald, soft rose; Sandra Michael, blue and white; Theresa Mickey, dark blue, white and red print; Barbara New, red, white and black; Marcus Robinson, mustard and lilac; Betty Jane Stephens, coral peach; Virginia Walker, green, black and white; Cecilia Water, luggage brown; Bernice Bob Woodward, peach; Mrs. Long, homemaking teacher, gray and white.

Refreshments prepared by the Homemaking III students were served to visiting friends and mothers. Beverly Soll poured.

Pat Britain made pictures of the occasion.

## Estate Planning Is a Difficult Problem for Many

Many legal problems arise in deciding how to distribute a person's estate after his death. Naturally, large estates present more difficulty, but even the smallest of estates may cause trouble for the heirs if proper arrangements are not made prior to death of the owner.

Where larger estates are concerned, the question of estate taxes is often the greatest problem. Expert help is required to make proper decisions. A lawyer can be of considerable assistance in advising a client how to bequeath his estate so as to take care of his loved ones and at the same time to effect maximum savings in estate taxes.

To illustrate, suppose John Doe and his wife have amassed community property worth \$200,000. John wants his wife to be well taken care of during her lifetime. To save an attorney's fee he writes his own will leaving everything to his wife. He dies soon thereafter and his wife dies six years later. The federal estate taxes on his one-half of the \$200,000 estate amount to \$4,800.

When the wife dies her estate is worth her original one-half of \$200,000 (\$100,000) plus the estate she inherited from her husband, \$95,200. The federal estate tax on her estate, enhanced by what her husband had left her, is \$31,200. If instead of leaving the property to his wife he had left her the income from it for life (the remainder to go to their children upon her death), her taxable estate would have been only \$100,000. The federal estate tax thereon would have been \$4,800.

There would have been a tax saving of \$26,400 (\$31,200 less \$4,800, the tax on her \$100,000 estate). Yet the wife, during her lifetime, would have been well provided for. She would have had \$100,000 (her half of the community estate) plus the income from her husband's half of the community (\$100,000 less estate tax thereon of \$4,800).

Many a man has worked hard and lived frugally all his life in an attempt to provide for his loved ones long corridors of security stretching far into the future but has cheated them of the full benefits of his efforts by failing to plan properly. Perhaps he has failed to make a will. Maybe he has undertaken to write his own will with the result that it fails to take into account contingencies that did not occur to him, or he has prepared a will that is so artlessly drawn that those he loved most became involved in bitter lawsuits. Such legal controversies over estates are wasteful and often leave scars that rankle for years.

The drafting of a will involves the making of decisions requiring special judgment which can be obtained only by years of training and study. Only the practicing lawyer can avoid the enumerable pitfalls and advise the course best suited for each individual.

A free pamphlet containing useful information on wills and related matters may be obtained by sending your name and address on a postcard to State Bar of Texas, Colorado at Fifteenth, Austin 1, Texas.

## RING YOUR OWN BELL

A man returning home in the early hours saw a notice on a factory door. It read: "Please ring the bell for the caretaker."

He gave the bell a terrific pull, nearly dragging it from its socket. Shortly a sleepy face appeared.

"Are you a caretaker?" asked the man.

"Yes," came the reply, "What do you want?"

"I just want to know why the dickens you can't ring the bell yourself?"

## KING-SIZED

Teacher was explaining to the class that a number of sheep is called a flock and a number of quail is called a bevy.

"Now," she said, "what is a number of camels called?"

A nine-year-old ad reader had a quick answer: "A carton."

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## Bride-Elect



MISS JANE ROSE

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Rose of Route 2, Canyon, are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Jane, to Wayne Watson, 4109 Monroe, Amarillo. The wedding is to take place May 29 in the Bethel Missionary Baptist Church, Amarillo, at 7:30 p. m.

## FINDS DOG, GETS \$1,000

Long Beach, Calif. — While Don Campbell and Byrnie Townley, of nearby Inglewood, were driving home at night recently, they saw a golden cocker spaniel wandering on the highway. Since they had almost hit the dog, Campbell decided to take him to his home. The next morning, Mrs. Campbell read in the paper of a missing cocker and a reward of \$1,000 for his return. Realizing that the cocker Campbell brought home was the missing dog, Campbell took the dog to his owner, collected the reward and split it with Townley.

## ABOUT THE SAME

Sedalia, Mo. — A young school-boy reported to his mother that he had a substitute teacher that day whose name was "Miss Lamb." The next day, the boy reported that he had been mistaken—her name was "Miss Sheep." Finally, the next day, the boy reported the teacher's correct name was "Miss Sheppard."

## TRYING HARD

The political pundits are offering us daily clues as to who will win the nation's biggest contest ending in November.

## WHO'S TEACHING WHOM?

Most of today's adult education, alas, comes from the younger generation.

## Renew Old Time "Badger Fight" When Hereford Pioneers Meet

The Hereford Brand of Sunday carries this story of a promotional feature of a badger fight:

Badger fighting, once one of the most popular sports in the Southwest, will be revived in Hereford Thursday, according to Byrle Elliston. The fight is scheduled for 4:30 o'clock.

"Four of us — including Jim Robinson, Pat Wederbrook, and Mike Baird — went up into the breaks about a month ago and captured this yellow badger," Elliston said Saturday. "There are still quite a number of badgers around the southwest, but the yellow ones are scarce these days."

"So far as I know, there never has been a dog that can whip a yellow badger, but of course there is always the possibility that one will turn up some day," he added.

Already Elliston has heard that several dogs are being brought in to tackle the badger, and he has said that it will be a fair fight, one dog at a time against the low-slung, muscular fighter, whose loose hide makes it tough for dogs to get a good hold and still stay out of the way of the badger's sharp teeth and strong jaws.

Elliston is of the opinion that there won't be any interference

with holding the fight, though there are sometimes a few minor skirmishes in a crowd before the fight, as spectators get wrought up about which is the tougher, a good dog or a good badger.

"In spite of the scarcity of badgers these days, we are hoping to make the badger fight an annual event," Elliston remarked. Among the dogs that are expected Thursday is one from Colorado, and several from other parts of the state.

Old-timers in Hereford who can remember the badger fights will probably turn out in large numbers, as the fights, which were usually held every week, were an extremely popular sporting event. Elliston and his friends who are arranging the fight say that they will take full responsibility for the event, in case there are those who feel that the fight is inhumane and should not be held at all.

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## STALE COFFEE JOKE

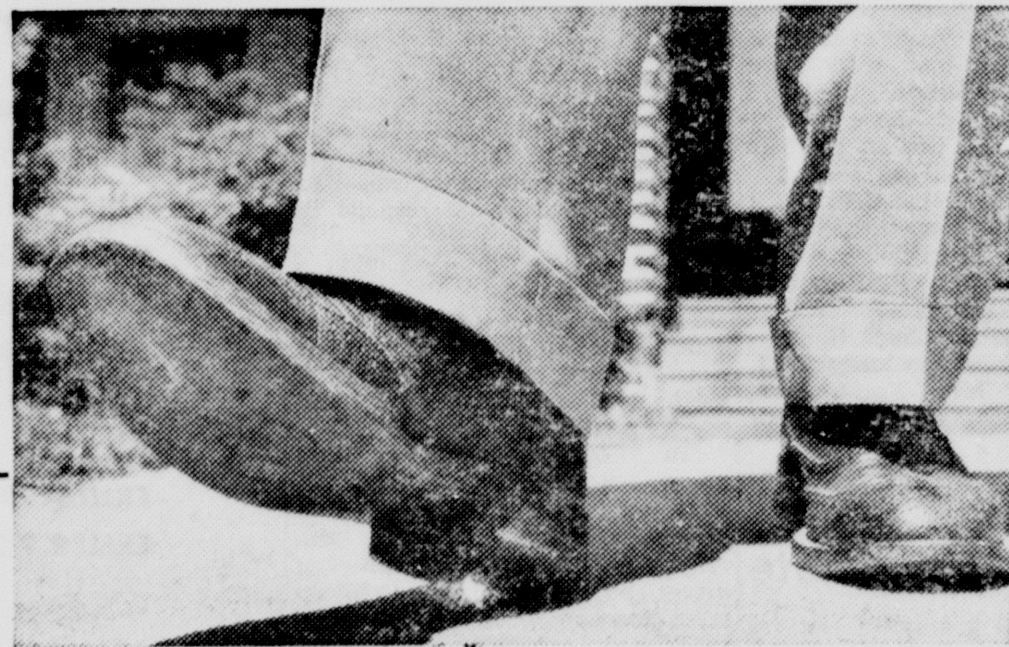
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## Future Homemakers Have Formal Installation



Officers of Canyon High School Future Homemakers of America for 1954-55: Theresa Mickey, Virginia Walker, sergeant-of-arms; Jacky Matsler, reporter; Marcus Robinson, vice-president; June Davis, president; Virginia Leake, secretary; Nelda Coffee, historian; Nancy Kay Tomlinson, parliamentarian; Janis Wright, treasurer; Janet Taylor, pianist.

Parents and friends of the Future Homemakers of America of Canyon High School were present Thursday evening when the 1954-55 officers were installed in a formal candle-lighting ceremony.

Sue Keeling, outgoing president, directed the ceremony, assisted by Nora Dell Williams, vice-president; Diane Prichard, secretary; Ann Moore, treasurer; Virginia Leake, reporter; Anna Marie Barker, parliamentarian; Wanda Rogers, song leader; and Alice Simms, pianist.

Each candidate was presented a red rose corsage that had been made in Homemaking II class.

Junior degree candidates awarded certificates were Faye Lowrey, Jackie Barnard, Mary Sue Barton, Francis Boyd, Avalon Brown, Arlene Bagley, Florence Clements, Carolyn Davis, Martha Harding, Karel Johnson, Almeta Howard,

Judy Newman, La Verne Riley, Peggy Seymour, Barbara Shepard,

Christina Sikes, Dollie Stewart, Sue Reynolds, Lynn Atkinson, Rose Barron, Nelda Coffee, Sharon Dewise, Winnifred Fain, Annie Jean Howard, Vanda Latham, Debra McDonald, Sandra Michael, Theresa Mickey, Barbara New, Marcus Robinson, Betty Jane Stephens, Virginia Walker, Cecilia Waters, Bernice B. Woodward, Marie Ford, Alby Ann Kuehler.

Chapter degree students to receive certificates were Betty Burrus, Anna Marie Barker, Burdell Carter, Charlotte Crain, Dorothy Cramer, Rosalie Frische, Eva Mae Howard, Jacky Matsler, Alby Ann

Kuehler, Jearlyn Partridge, Martha Jones, Claudia Phillips, Kay Hubbard, Nancy Kay Tomlinson, Janis Wright, Johnnie Weeks, Ruby Yarbrough, Reva Clay, Sherry Dawson, Marie Ford, Florence Hacker, Carol Ann Holman, Marilyn Keller, Jerry Matsler, Dora McAtee, Ann McKinney, Diane Prichard, Wanda Rogers, Nancy Root, Jeanine Thomas, Sybil Welch, Winona Winters.

Refreshments prepared by the Homemaking II class were served in the high school cafeteria.

Mrs. Clara Long and Mrs. L. B. Penick, homemaking instructors in the junior and senior high schools, are sponsors of the group.



BY LOUISE ALLEN

As we put supper on the table the other night, the doorbell rang. There stood a smiling acquaintance, offering us a tempting-looking cake his wife had just baked.

"We're on a diet," he explained. "She's got to keep her hand in."

It was as good as it was pretty — delicately browned coconut and pineapple rings, topping a cake that was as light as a whisper. Certainly it was a skill one wouldn't want to lose.

We'll never cease to marvel at the wide variety of "specialties" to which people turn their talents:

We have a neighbor who could take a day lily, a tumbleweed and a couple of dandelions, and come out with a graceful flower arrangement.

We once knew a man who specialized in a backhand tennis stroke; won tournaments with it, too. Seems his opponents would shoot balls to his backhand, trying to throw him off balance; so he just made a specialty of a backhand that would win.

Not long ago, we visited the studio of a sculptress and observed

with delight how she had made cold, hard stone come alive in the form of the kneeling figure of a woman. "It's the back interest," she said; "you look at sculpture all around. Get a natural back line and you get motion into stone."

Specialties vary all the way from card tricks to helping people get along; from growing perfect dahlias to ironing shirts. While books might be written about the many different motives for developing such a skill, that's not the point. For all of us, the important thing is that we care enough to want to excel in something.

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## THE DIFFERENCE

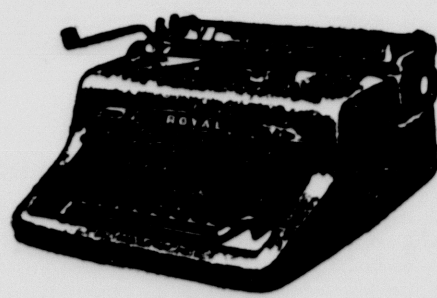
A pessimist is a woman who thinks she'll be unable to fit her car into a certain space. An optimist is a man who thinks she won't try.

## RELAX

Satan's Kingdom, a town in Connecticut, froze over. So now everybody can stop doing whatever it was they were going to keep on doing until it did.

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## THE AMERICAN WAY



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### Troy Burrus Signs Contract to Play Basketball With Phillips 66 Team

Troy Burrus, West Texas State's fifth All-America, will join Phillips Petroleum Company following his graduation and will play on the Phillips 66 team next season, according to Phillips Coach Gerald Tucker.

Burrus is the third top-flight collegiate player to join the 66 team since the close of the 1953-54 season. Tucker previously had announced that Ron Rivers of Wyoming, and Gib Ford of the University of Texas will be in Phillips uniforms next fall.

Leading the Border Conference in scoring his last two years at WT, Troy was a first team All-America choice in 1954 and a second team All-America in 1953, for the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics. He has made the All-Border Conference first team for the past two years, and was captain of the 1953 mythical unit.

At Canyon High School, Troy captained the basketball team which won the Texas Class A championship in his senior year and was an all-state scholastic player. He earned three letters in basketball and two in football during his high school career.

Burrus will be the fifth West Texas player to join the Phillips 66 team. Joe Fortenberry, 1936-41, a member of the Phillips Hall of Fame and also an All-America; Ed Comer, 1937-38; Chuck Halbert, 1944-46; and Frank Stockman, 1944-47, preceded him. Fortenberry, Comer and Stockman are still with the company.

### Mrs. J. W. Walker Federate Candidate

According to a bulletin just received, Mrs. J. W. Walker of Plainview is a candidate for a high office in the General Federation of Women's Clubs. She is now an officer in the Texas Federation and seeks to become Second Vice President of the General Federation.

Mrs. Walker is well known in Canyon, and has visited here a number of times.

Be proud of Canyon — Clean Up; Paint Up; Modernize!

### Quick Action Necessary in Safe Driving

"Split second action may save your life!"

Col. E. B. Tilley of Houston, president of the Texas Safety Association, reminded motorists of this fact today as he stressed the importance of driving a car that will respond immediately in an emergency.

He spoke in behalf of the vehicle maintenance program now being sponsored by all official and non-official groups in cooperation with the Texas Department of Public Safety and the National Safety Council.

"The part played by good vehicle maintenance in the safe driving picture cannot be over emphasized," Col. Tilley said. "The skill and alertness of the most capable driver can be completely cancelled if his vehicle does not respond in an emergency."

"It is obvious," he said, "that a driver — no matter how skillful — can't cope with a sudden emergency situation in a car that has worn brakes, a worn steering mechanism or some other neglected part."

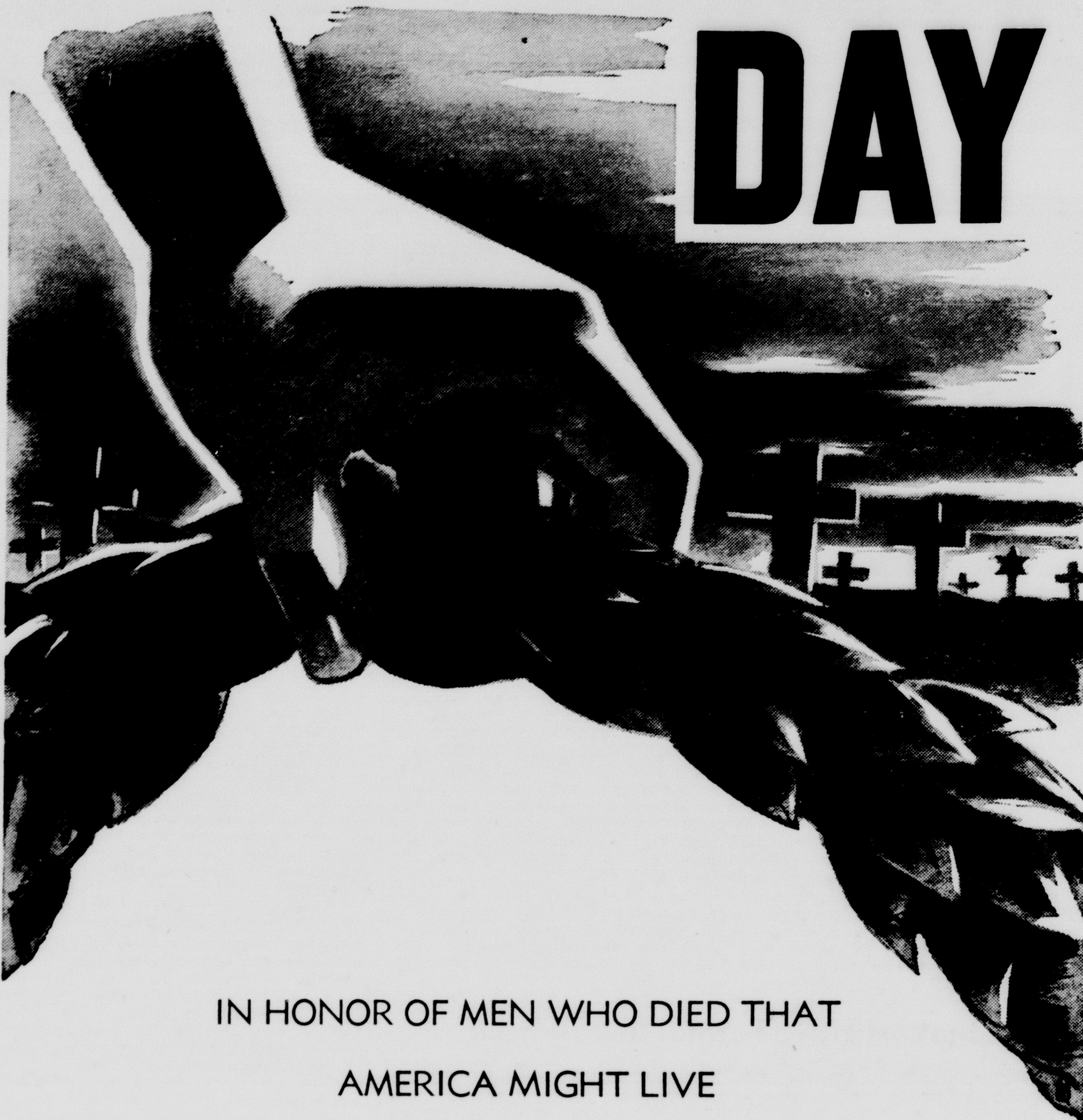
Col. Tilley warned drivers that, under some circumstances, a small worn out part can precipitate a serious accident. He said, "the only way in which the average driver can be sure his car is in top notch mechanical shape is to have it checked regularly."

He advised car owners to pay particular attention to the following points when having such a check made: brakes, headlights, rear and stop lights, tires, wheel alignment, exhaust system and muffler, windshield wipers, glass, horn, and rear-view mirror.

#### YOU HAVE

Don't go around complaining. You have one less leg to stand on when you kick.

# MEMORIAL DAY



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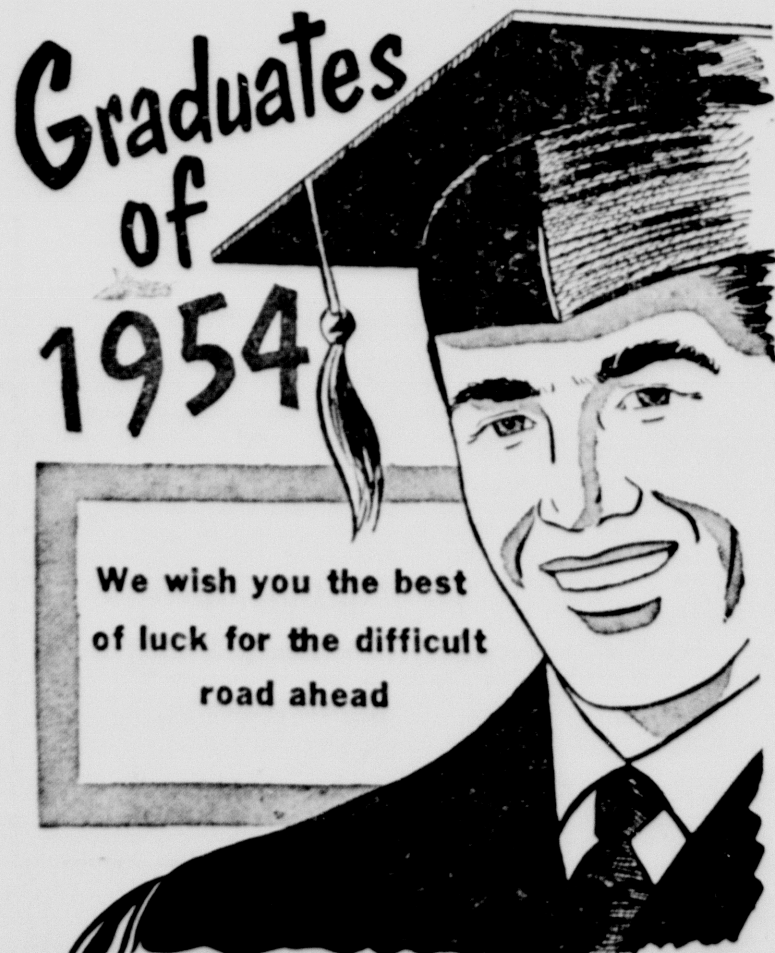
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**SOPHOMORE GIRLS ENSEMBLE** with Diane Prichard at the piano are: standing on the back row, Kathy Truax, Nancy Root, and Janis Wright; middle row, Wanda Rogers, Virginia Leake, and Jeanine Thomas; first row, Nancy Tomlinson, Jerry Matsler, and Jacky Matsler. This group is under the direction of Miss Ada V. Clark.

## Speed and Booze Will Kill 210

Excessive speed and alcohol will be responsible for 210 of the predicted 380 highway accident deaths in the country during the three-day Memorial Day week-end starting Thursday, according to the Association of Casualty and Surety Companies.

The Association's figures, released today, indicate that 126 persons will die in speeding accidents and 84 more, both motorists and pedestrians, will die because of excessive use of alcohol.

Other main causes contributing to the 380-victim total are expected to include failure to keep to the right of the centerline, 38 victims; failure to observe the right of way, 27 victims, and over-fatigue or sleeping at the wheel, 24 victims.

Accidents caused by miscellaneous factors will kill the final 81 of the predicted total.

The predictions are based on "a conservative expansion of the accident rates of three-day Memorial Day holidays in the past," according to the Association's Accident Prevention Department.

### THE BIBLE

Hold fast to the Bible as the sheet-anchor of your liberties; write its precepts in your hearts, and practice them in your lives. —General U. S. Grant.

There is a Book worth all other books which were ever printed. —Patrick Henry.

It is impossible to mentally or socially enslave a Bible-reading people. The principles of the Bible are the groundwork of human freedom. —Horace Greeley

I know the Bible is inspired because it finds me at greater depths of my being than any other book. —Samuel Taylor Coleridge.

No lawyer can afford to be ignorant of the Bible. —Rufus Choate.

The central fact of the Bible is the superiority of spiritual over physical power. —Mary Baker Eddy.

### DO YOU BORE YOURSELF?

It is not the largest wealth nor the greatest fame that makes the happiest man. It's having the most interesting thoughts. That's why getting a good education is so important.

### PRIZE BOOB

A woman who goes six no trumps, with 13 diamonds in her hand should be handed the cut glass grapefruit bowl as a booby prize. Striking her on the head with it is hard on the bowl.

### WHAT'D HE SAY?

Mirandy—My sakes, John writes he threw the hammer 200 feet. Joshua — Gracious! He must've hit his thumb an awful whack.

Don't keep telling her you're unworthy of her. Better let it come as a surprise.

## '55 Cheerleaders . . .

(Continued from Eagle's Tale)

here last September from New Mexico. Her birth date is April 15, 1937. She weighs 125 pounds and is 5'5" tall. Faye has beautiful brown hair and eyes. When she completes high school Faye plans to enter the field of business administration. Will Rogers is the novel best liked by her. Basketball and horseback riding are her favorite sports. Her favorite song and band are: "Hey, Joe" and Guy Lombardo. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Lowrey are her favorite people. Since Faye has been at CHS she has attained several honors, such as Spanish Club Queen and a Spanish award.

Stephen A. Mitchell, Democratic National Chairman: "The Army-McCarthy hearings are enough to make an American pinch himself to be sure he isn't having a nightmare."

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## Wayside News

Rev. Baker filled his regular appointment last Sunday morning.

Working of the cemetery will be May 29 in the afternoon. There will also be a business meeting in the cemetery Saturday p. m., May 29. On Sunday everyone is invited to attend Sunday School at 10 a. m. Lunch will be served at noon in the basement of the church and a program after lunch with the march to the cemetery to follow.

Mr. and Mrs. Melton McGehee visited her relatives at Dublin last week-end.

The Charles Kennedys and the Bill Heislars attended the wrestling matches in Amarillo Thursday evening.

Mrs. T. H. Shipman is in Neblett Hospital in Canyon and is very sick.

Those enjoying dinner with Mrs. Amanda Adams and Charlotte Adams last Sunday were J. W. McCrerey, Mrs. Henry Long and two grandchildren, and Mrs. Richard Gidden, all of Canyon, and Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Kaul of Hereford.

Mr. and Mrs. Loys Gillham and John, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Gillham and children, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Gillham, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Adams, Jimmie and Leslie, and Roland Adams.

Mrs. Lucile Roberts of South San Francisco, Calif., is visiting her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Adams.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Davis and children, Stevens and Robin, of Long Beach, Calif., are visiting her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Melton McGehee.

Mrs. Bessie Lane celebrated her birthday last Saturday, May 15, by having her children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren present. They were Mr. and Mrs. George Hancock and Judy of Pampa, Mrs. Jerri Mitchell Lou Ann and Corky of North Carolina. She also received many nice presents.

The school program last Wednesday night was extra good and well attended.

1st Lt. and Mrs. Bryce Payne and boys are visiting in the E. J. Mahler home.

### ONE WAY TO EASE OFF

Sergeant — "Did you sleep well on your cot? I am afraid it was a little hard and uneven but."

Conscript — "It was all right, sir. I got up now and then during the night and rested a little, you know."

**Congratulations  
Graduates of  
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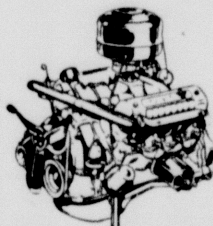
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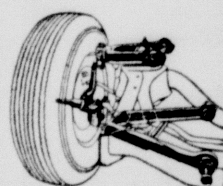
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The European Coal and Steel Community will receive an American loan of \$100,000 to expand European output.

### CONSOLATION

It develops that the oldest war on which our government is still giving pensions is that of 1812. Hurrah! The Revolution is paid for.

### INDEPENDENT

An American isn't going to let anybody deprive him of the right to say what he pleases, even though he's afraid to do it most of the time.

### HIS INSPIRATION

"What made you a millionaire?" "Curiosity had a lot to do with it. I wanted to see if there was any income my wife couldn't live beyond."

**Congratulations!**

**To All Our Graduates . . .**

We Salute the Graduates of all Canyon's Schools for a big job Well done! May you attain even higher levels than this day brings.

Graduation day is a day for gifts and we have made sure that our selection for you is appropriately fine for her or him.

We have such gifts that will be cherished with the other memories of Graduation Day. You are invited to inspect them.

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**SUGAR** 10 lbs. **98c**  
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**JELL-O** All Flavors 2 For **13c**

**Hi-C Orangeade** 46 oz. Can **29c**

**COCA-COLA** 6 Bottle Carton **25c**  
Plus Deposit

**Shortening** Shurfine 3 lb. Tin **83c**

**MIRACLE WHIP** PINTS Salad Dressing **35c**

**CHERRIES** Sturgeon Bay Red Sour Pitted No. 2 Can **23c**

**PEACHES** Shurfine Halves No. 2 1/2 Can **25c**

**DOG FOOD** Roxey Canned 2 For **13c**

**Carnation MILK** 3 Tall Cans **39c**

Gerber's **BABY FOOD** 3 Cans **25c**  
STRAINED

**APPLE BUTTER** Shurfine 28 oz. Jar **24c**

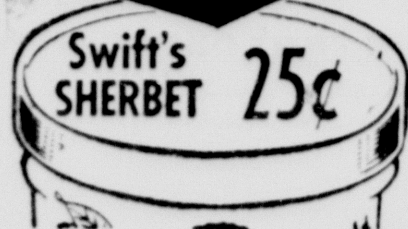
**Gladiola FLOUR** 10 lb. Bag **89c**

**TABLE SALT** Shurfine Round Boxes — 2 For **15c**

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**CAKE MIXES** **30c**

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Texas Kentucky Wonder

**Green Beans** lb. **12c**

**Radishes** Colorado 3 Bunches **11c**

**Tomatoes** 14 oz. Cello Package **15c**

10c ROLL **TUMS** **5c**

**Alka-Seltzer** Large Size **39c**

**Waldorf** Toilet Tissue 2 Rolls **15c**

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